Snow

CANADIAN TORPEDO BOAT GRILSE REPORTED LOST

RUSSIANS BREAK INTO TEUTON TRENCHES IN RUMANIA ENTENTE TO MAKE JOINT RESPONSE TO PEACE OFFER

Close to Four Millions Total of German Losses Since Beginning of War

November Casualties of Enemy Amounted To 166,176 Officers and Men, Apart From the Naval and Colonial Services.

London, Dec. 13.-2:30 p.m.-The total German casualties, excluding those in the naval and colonial services, reported in the German official lists for November, says a British official statement issued today, was 166,177 officers and men, making the total German losses in killed, wounded and missing since the war broke out, 3,921,860.

PATCHED-UP PEACE MEANS DEFEAT, IS BELIEF OF BENNETT BUT ATHENS HOPEFUL

of Canada a German

in the British Empire today thar it had Entente diplomats. There is no direct her assistance, and endeavors ever been. The fall of the Rumanian

Defeat meant the destruction of Canadian representative institutions, of a ITALIANS REPULSED proud, and for which her people had

bored so strenuously.

Britons were fighting for the right of Spirited Fighting on Macedonian Front nent by popular vote; for the supremacy ial life; for order and development. All Entente nations in Europe were defeat-ed, Canada would be a German prize, spirited fighting yesterday. The war young Englishman. The naval depart

CANADIAN.

DEMANDS OF ALLIES NOT YET FORMULATED.

And Defeat Means Dominion Greek Press Optimistic, But Nationals Are All Ready To Leave.

news from Athens in regard to the re- wireless telegraphy to inform any ve grets expressed by the Greek minister sels at sea in that vicinity, capital, the state of affairs in France at Paris, on behalf of King Constan- are now searching for marines in the Greek capital.

North of Monastir.

CANADIAN, AMERICAN AND FRENCH PRESS

FEAR CANADIAN TORPEDO BOAT HAS GONE DOWN

Grilse Believed Lost On Way From Halifax To Bermuda.

'NOW SINKING' LAST WORD

All Available Vessels Have Been Rushed To the

Hailfax, N. S., Dec. 13 .- Fifty of-Halifax, N. S., Dec. 13.—Fifty of-ficers and men are believed to have lost their lives in the Canadian naval ship Grilse, feared sunk off the Nova Scotian coast last night.

Ottawa, Dec. 13.-The following statement has been issued through the office of the chief press censor for Canada:

ets to report that it is feared that M. Canadian torpedoboat Griise, eut, Walter Wingate, has been lost ea with all hands.

BULGARIAN ATTACK Wilkinson, R.C.N.; Wireless Operator S. A. McLean, and Wireless Operator

Lieut. W. Wingate and Sub-Lieut. Winsloe are from British Columbia. I life; for order and development. All attack delivered by Bulgarian troops | Sub-Lieut, Fry was a Toronto man. and the Monroe doctrine would not be office announced today that the attack ment is receiving the complete list

BRAVE SERBIANS IN ACTION



This six-Inch howitzer is Just being fired by Serbian gunners, whose up-to-date

RUMANIANS ESCAPED TRAP; WITH FRONT INTACT, HAVE CLEAR ROAD OF RETREAT

Skilfully Manoeuvring, Ferdin and's Troops Have Evaded the Teutonic Pincers and Have Open Road To Moldavia -Evacuation of Bucharest Made in Perfect Order, After Destruction or Removal of Supplies Invaders Desired.

ELECTION TO TEST PUBLIC OPINION OF PEACE OFFER

New British Cabinet Ministers Will Go To the Polls.

thero, Sir A. M. Mond, Albert His worth, John Hodge and Gordon Hewart,

CHILD SUFFOCATED

Montreal, Dec. 13.—Annie Lefeby

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last The official temperatures for the

Forecasts.

Snow today from the front in France Says Cloudy that the night was comparatively calm.

GRIND" BUT CAN SEE



ANOTHER QUIET NIGHT

Berlin.

FIGHTING AT STANDSTILL.

LIEUT, ARTHUR MORTIMER, whose

He has spent a year and a half in France, and writing to a friend in the city under a recent date from "Somewhere in France," says: "Our brigade has had an awful grind since coming here, and we have been engaged a considerable portion of the time. I am sleeping in an attic of a house that has been half would be says, he ran out of the house and there met Vincent days here have been that has been half would be says, he ran out of the house and there met Vincent days have a says here and out of the house and there met Vincent days have a says here and out of the house and there met Vincent days have a says here and out of the house and there met Vincent days have a says here and out of the house and there met Vincent days have a says here and out of the house and there met vincent days have a says here and out of the house and there met vincent days have a says here and out of the house and there met vincent days have a says here and the says here. been badly shattered by shell fire. and t Clifford Sifton and I built a shack out cent.

fore this to adjust ourselves to conditions that this great war of liberty and justice has imposed.

Ultimate victory will come, and must come to Britain and her allies in this possessions and took a har come. come, to Britain and her allies in this possessions and took a bag containing \$1,000 and fled to Winnipeg and on to Toronto. He claims to have been a bugler in a British regiment sinking of the Unite great conflict against Hun militarism. everyone is going ahead with one end in view-Victory!

PETERBORO FIRE DEATHS

No More Bodies Recovered by Searchers Calm, Says Paris-Nothing Doing, Says

aged 50, who was severely burned about Paris, Dec. 13.—The official report of the head and arms by the fire at th today from the front in France says Quaker Oats plant, succumbed to hi injuries early this morning, making seventh known death from the fire. He majority against continuing the Goveaves a widow and family. The con-Berlin, Dec. 13.—Via Sayville.—To- dition of several patients in the hos-

NO HASTY ACTION BY ALLIES OVER PEACE MOVE BY ENEMY; NO REPLY LIKELY FOR WEEKS

RUSSIANS TAKE TRENCHES FROM THE INVADERS

Petrograd Reports a Success For Slavs in the Trotus Valley.

FOE'S LOSSES HEAVY

Berlin States Rumanians Are Again Retreating To Northeast.

meals. It is somewhat inconvenient in a way, but we have all learned long be-We are all cheerful, though, and in action.

ON WESTERN FRONT

Consultation Under Treaty Binds All Members of Entente To Confer Before Answer Is Made To Central Powers' Request For Peace.

London, Dec. 13 .- The indications are that the various governments of the Entente Allies do not intend to act hastily in making joint response to the peace proposals of the central powers. It was pointed out in well informed quarters today that while each one of the allied governments might indicate its general attitude, consultation among the allies, under the treaty binding them to such action, probably would require two or three weeks.

STATEMENT IN COMMONS THURSDAY.

London, Dec. 13.-Although little confidence is shown in Lor result will come from the peace proposals of the Central Powers and the opinion prevails quite generally that the time even to discuss terms, there is an undercurrent toward the offer will be made known in the House of Commons tomor

TELL WORLD ALLIES' TERMS.

for no other, the terms of the Entente Allies should be WHAT WILL WILSON DO?

ENEMY'S REAL TERMS

Present Proposals What She Would Like, Not What She Expects.

Washington, Dec. 13 .- The Central

LAVAL STUDENTS SING FOR THE DEVONSHIRES

an American ship, but had been transferred to Norwegian ownership.

BIG MAJORITY AGAINST THE LIQUOR STORES balance

present, while the hope was ex-pressed in other quarters of the money market that the Entente Al-Finance Little Affected. In Lombard street, rates practically were unaffected, but in the ex-

the most sensitive to political move-ments, the tone was just a shade uncertain. The only movement of note, however, was the decline of a point in Petrograd exchange. So far as the stock exchange was concerned, the offer of Germany and

WILSON AWAITING WORD OF ENTENTE AS TO PEAGE TALK

Not Likely To Make Any Offer of Mediation At Present.

obvious dangers: (I) Being tricked into granting an armistice which will be construed as a sure proof that, the objects for which she began in a distance of the war being manifestly beyond her substance in a statement made today. He said: "More thanks the objects for which she began in the construence of the war being manifestly beyond her substance in a few opinion can be expressed in a pinion can be expressed in a pinion can be expressed in a poinion can be expressed in a pinion can be expressed in a poinion can be expressed in a poinion

Ottawa, Dec. 13.-The Ottawa Citi- New York Staats Zeitung, commenten says in commenting on the Ger- ing on the peace proposals:

The Allies know what they in the German Reichstag has established war on the Allies, which he hopes will to safeguard the peace of the world tary affairs today and has demonstrated the neutral nations. in the future. Nothing short of that the line line german people will satisfy them. They owe it to those who have shed their blood in the cause of justice to see that they have not died in vain."

REJECTED BY TIMES.

London, Dec. 13.—The German peace proposal is emphatically rejected by the Times, which says:

Montreal, Dec. 13.—Annie four years of age, was suff proposal is emphatically rejected by the Times, which says: the war if their readiness for peace Times, which says:

her allies for peace will be read in the words of the German imperial channel conspicuously failed, and, as she does not judge that any neutral power could be added to the constitution with much advanced.

by the German war lords themselves my governments.

The Times—Inevitably there will be aid down once for all in Mr. Asquith's two constructions put upon it. It will be said that Germany, victorious in the field, has so far demonstrated the sufficient force that she down once for all in Mr. Asquith's two constructions put upon it. It will be said that Germany, victorious in the field, has so far demonstrated the sufficient force that she down once for all in Mr. Asquith's description of their peace terms.

The Times—Inevitably there will be laid down once for all in Mr. Asquith's description of their peace terms. In the construction of their peace terms. The Montreal Star says:

"The diplomacy of the Entente will be very careful about being led into a trap. There will be two chief and obvious dangers: (1) Being tricked independence of the construed as a sure proof that, the objects for which she began is in a position to be magnanimous, to offer terms of peace which enemy powers will be well advised in acceptance which enemy powers will be well advised in acceptance which enemy powers will be well advised in acceptance which enemy powers will be well advised in acceptance which enemy powers will be well advised in acceptance which enemy powers will be well advised in acceptance which enemy powers will be well advised in acceptance which enemy powers will be well advised in acceptance which enemy powers will be construed as a sure proof that, the objects for which she began statement made today. He said: "My

Before the judgment seat of human-

the Triple Alliance.

"In the negotiations that may ensue war. The speech which Herr von the status quo will have little consider—Bethmann-Hollweg delivered yesterday the blame for the continuation of the

elegraph, commenting on Germany's side. Germany's and prejudice have not stopped the ears, the honorable deside of Germany and her allies for peace will be read in the hit it right side.

Wherever on the globe stubbornness are fighting. She has been trying by all means at her disposal to induce us to make the suggestion of mediation. The attempt has lamentably and conspicuously failed and as she done

and that before the end of the present car Germany would be making a formal bid for peace. We regard the erms of Germany's peace offer as too discussed by the German proposal proposal control of the belligerents. It is above all things as symptom of her conscious weakness. The Allies must absolutely respect to form a basis of the German proposal propos

idiculous even to form a basis of for peace:

Deace negotiations. What is more, we New York Herald—The manner of its basis proposed is the triumph of might peace negotiations. What is more, we refuse to believe that the offer is launching, the suggestions about posmade in good faith.

"There is one useful purpose, how-"

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The purpose is the purpose is the triumph of minute purpose is th that the Berlin peace move is for effect enemy has overrun are restored are is in the nature of a confirmation upon the German people, not upon ene-

SAY PEACE TERMS ARE UNACCEPTABLE

That the enemy realizes that so far ity and world history, the German im- the French press. The newspapers are That the enemy realizes that so has perial chancellor, in the name of the unanimous that it is an admission that Edward Carson, Dr. Christopher is case are removed in the Allies. arms who are allied with them, has many, and that the chancellor wants will be interpreted in its proper see in all the countries opposed to Triple Alliance.

washed his hands of the responsibility a way out before it is too late. His move is considered to have the additional advantage that in the chancelor wants a way out before it is too late. His move is considered to have the additional advantage that in the chancelor wants are in the chancelor wants. tional advantage that, in the event of have a moral effect on Germany and

TOO RIDICULOUS.

the war if their readiness for peace should find no echo from the other whatever to the objects for which we in October last when, after a visit to the principal battlefronts, he declared that Germany's power was crumoling, and that before the end of the present approfound impression.

Cellor, The moral impression of this honorable desire must in itself make profile mediation with much advantage, she falls back on this indirect offer to the belligerents. It is above all things

Tomorrow of her conscious models.

HAS HAD "AN AWFUL VCTORY FOR ALLIES

MOVEMENT STARTS TO NAME CANDIDATE FOR FEDERAL HOUSE

Conservatives Looking For Mr. Gray's Successor.

THREE NOW MENTIONED

T. G. Meredith, K. C., A. H. M. Graydon and E. R. Dennis All Possibilities.

convention agreed upon:

tant seat from every viewpoint, and is thought should not be disfranthe Dominion Government requesting the position.

2. That this federation memorialize that he would give him his support.

has not been decided.

ENTERTAINMENTS FOR SOLDIERS ARRANGED

Homes" To Be Held Thursday True to their announcement made tion of the energy and business Prerseas Chapter, I. O. D. E., of which form committee.

There was also considerable discuss.

asonic Temple on Thursday and Frithe city.

as evenings, the 14th and 15th, finding It is expected that the

Thursday evening, the 118th Battalion city in 1912, and has since be ill be entertained, and Friday evening pointed chief of the labor the 149th, the smaller units in training the Provincial Government. d between the two nights. n the way of amusement, there will IF HUNT BROS.' PROPOSAL ards, dancing and a program, and shments will be served. Plenty of partners are assured, and the 75

of the Overseas Chapter will stinguishable by white badges, rating in every possible way to make

Battalion Orchestra and the ! the ther by the A. M. C. Orchestra.
Fancy dances by pupils of Mrs. Alice tenderson and numbers by returned sol-

rs will constitute the program each

WILL HOLD SERIES OF MOTOR SHOWS IN CITY

Victor Carty Takes Over Central Garage-Has Ambitlous Program.

Victor Carty, well known in automorage on York street at the first of bile and industrial shows therein. exhibitions and is well adapted for Talk Given by Mr. Davis at Efficiency the purpose, its dimensions being 200

London automobile show, to follow the Detroit show. The London show will Talbot Street Baptist lecture hall on Tuesday evening for the purpose of e held about January 29. Some sixty- discussing the Canadian standard effifive models will be shown, and from ciency test. present indications the show will be the A short, practical talk was given by most ambitious ever held here. Sixes, Mr Davis, boys' secretary of the Y. M. ights and twelves in the well-known C. A., on "How to Choose Life's Work"

Mr. Carty stated that an electrical leaders. show would also be held later on. He also announced that he would be willing at all times to turn over the hall for patrotic events of any kind. The returned A. T. Taylor of the Y. M. C. A., with

WOULD STOP IMPORTATION OF LIQUORS AS BEVERAGE

den's Federation Council Also Wants to Prohibit Advertisement of

ion was held on Monday evening, 11th ist., in the federation rooms at 8 clock, the president, Rev. D. (acGregor, B.A., in the chair. Amon MacGregor, B.A., in the chair. Among those present were the following, viz.: Messrs. D. H. McDermid, C. G. Watson, R. C. Barklie, D.O., Major T. J. Murphy, Dr. E. E. Braithwaite, David Ross, Adjt. D. P. McRae, T. R. Wright, Ald. Dr. S. P. Reynolds, Prof. Jas. H. Bowman, Rev. James H. Boyd, Robert Greene, Rev. Jas, McKay, F. E. Reed, R. H. Virell. Controller J. F. White, in Conservative circles, there Ald. H. B. Ashplant, W. Courtis, Adjt. A. Layman, Max Lerner, Rev. W. R.

far three names are most promily mentioned—T. G. Meredith, K. city solicitor, A. YH. Marshall Grayand E. R. Dennis. It is known that latter would not object to the posiand he will have to be reckened and he will have to be reckened by the chairman, Rev. Jas. H. Boyd, which bore testimony to the good Graydon is looked upon as most effect brought about by the putting in-There is some doubt following resolutions were unanimously been congratulating myself all along

Detmis, but that little de- | 1. That the heartiest thanks of the ight be overcome.

Meredith has evinced no desire the life bed if he did become.

I. That the neartiest thanks of the period as I have had the busiest year of my life but if he did become.

Hearst and the members of the Op-life, and I cannot figure out how I Mr. Meredith has evinced no desire public life, but if he did become candidate, the others would probably ap aside in his favor. That there is been a by e-election before the next ssion is considered likely. While any constituencies have been vacant re long periods, the majority are rai constituencies. London is an imposition.

that as a war measure it enact legis igainst the sale of liquor.

ago, the members of the port of its temperance and moral r

rranged to entertain every officer and sion re the appointment of a police oldier in the city this week. The chapter will be "at home" in the acter of some of the amusements in

necessary to plan for two evenings council will meet again in January, ving to the number of men in khaki in when it will be addressed by Dr. Wal-

IS ACCEPTED BY LONDON, WILL DOUBLE CAPACITY

Firm Ready to Extend Business and Take Price in Power-Windsor Wants Industry.

will take over the Central whether or not its offer is accepted.

CHOOSING LIFE WORK

Test Banquet.

which was very much enjoyed by the

soldiers are already considering a pro- a group of boys, showed how to con-posal to hold a show at the garage. duct group games for the boys.

The Safe Side

"Those of us who are wise," says a well-known doctor, "will keep on the safe side by using only those foods that contain every= thing Nature puts into them."

A bit of good advice, that. Many foods, as usually prepared, especially cereals, are lacking in the vital mineral elements—phosphate of potash, etc., which the body must have for perfect balance and health.

There is one food,

Grape-Nuts

which is rich in these elements, containing, as it does, all the nutriment of whole wheat and barley. It is a delicious food, affording the sweetness of dextrinized wheat and the distinctive flavor of malted barley.

Every table should have its daily ration of Grape-Nuts.

"There's a Reason"

Canadian Postum Cereal Co., Limited, Windsor, Ont.

LT.-GOL. GARTSHORE CANNOT RUN; LEAVES FIELD TO GAMMAGE

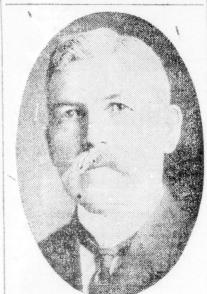
A largely attended meeting of the dvisory council of the Men's Federa- Will Support Controller Who Is In To Stay.

CONSTRUCTIVE PROGRAM

W. W. Gammage Will Endeavor To Have City Run On Business Lines.

cessor to the late William Gray, number of posseste candidates have a sizing up the situation, and politifences are being repaired.

A. Layman, Max Berner, Rev. W. K. D. K. C. A., Rev. Dr. H. S. Dougall, Joseph F. Pack, E. R. Wilson, Y. M. C. A., Rev. John Hosie, and Henry Macklin, J.P. The could not possibly enter the field the could not possibly enter the field. The meeting was opened with prayer owing to the outlook for the large



500 barrels of flour per day. In the event of moving to the eastern section of the city, the output would be incompany would take the price of its entitles me to the position, or at least roperty in power.

Windsor has already approached the last been made by others to secure the classes have assured me that they will

constructive program of co-ordination

COST OF TEA RAPIDLY INCREASING Hunt. "SALADA." The markets have advanced from six to ten cents a pound, and the freight rates jumped two and one-half cents a pound in the past two trollable conditions may warrant, how-"SALADA" remaining exactly the same

MOTHERS' CLUB WILL ENTERTAIN CHILDREN

Empress Avenue Organization Hears Interesting Address by Rev. J. McKay.

The members of the Empress Avenue y meeting in the kindergarten Tues-Mrs. Stillson, president of the club,

It was decided to have a Santa Claus entertainment in the club. Baskets are also being sent to members who have sickness in their homes. Later a donational clause in the club content of the sickness in the club. Baskets are sickness in the club club, and the club, and the club club, and the club club, and the club c sickness in their homes. Later a donation will be made to the Children's

COUNCIL OF 1917 HAS TO FACE LEAF PROBLEM

Fall is \$66.

with the problem of gathering the workers in factories, others are helpers This year, the board of works undertook an experiment. The leaves were gathered on Queen's avenue, from Well-

Statements from reliable people who have used NATURE'S CREATION for those conditions leading up to various forms of Tuberculosis-Lung Troubles-Bronchitis - Asthma - Coughs-Colds - Night Sweats - General

(Of Canada Limited).

TORONTO.

MOTORISTS WORRIED BY

auto bandits and newspapers offer hundred-dollar rewards for their capture, the younger brothers of these modern

the cars stand for a considerable time appear to be the chief playground of the flivver-owner. A fav orite trick is a juggling act performed with the switches on the control board This often results in a punctured con

Many Masqueraders in Big Crowd at Popular Hall Last Night.

ing flags of the Allies, joined in the

Best historic costume-Mrs. Roy Jen-

No juvenile prizes were offered, but owing to the large number of youngdmunds and third prize to Violet

a big reduction. A small amount down ideal Christmas gifts.

SOLDIERS' WIVES AMONG WOMEN VOLUNTEERING

Munitions Workers Flock to Offer Ser-

women and girls of London and distric The address was given by Rev. James | workers, applying for positions in the

> have stated that they have children, but are able to arrange to have them cared An evidence that the applicants are

For All Complexion Ills.

gathered on Queen's avenue, from Wellington to Adelaide streets. The accounts for the work paid to date amount to \$66. There may be more. However, City Engineer Brazier has not had an opportunity of looking into the matter closely, but will prepare a report, so that the incoming council will have a chance to determine whether it would be good business to take care of the leaves throughout the city.

It seems doubtful at this time that this will be done.

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Standing Autos Prey of Local Nuisances -Quick Change in Tires.

plaints of lights and accessories stolen

WINTER GARDEN CARNIVAL

Mrs Jack Mills.

At the conclusion of the evening's program, the orchestra, as is customary, irose while "God Save the King" was

BARGAINS IN UPRIGHT PIANOS. Limited 242 Dundas street, has a num known makes that they are offering a and a small sum weekly or monthly will secure one. A small deposit will hold

vices-Plenty Now Registered.

The address was given by Rev. James McKay of New St, James Presbyterian Church, who spoke interestingly on "How to Spend Sunday in the Home With the Children." Harold Pudney gave a song and an instrumental selection and Mrs. Treadwell gave a reading. Mrs. Crawford, president of the Rectory Street Mothers' Club gave an interesting talk on the navy.

It was decided to have a Santa Claus workers, applying for positions in the factory to be opened early in the navient the factory to be opened early in the navient that having and, in addition, a number who had signed their names to the petition several weeks ago to be allowed to work on munitions, called up to remind the registration secretary that, having enlisted first they should be considered before those who are now applying.

It is a significant fact that of the fere with their going to work. Others

for in their absence inspired by patriotism and a desi be doing something definite to help loved Amount Paid for Removing Few This ones overseas, lies in the fact that the majority already have positions involved The council of 1917 will have to deal hold other business positions, some are

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each counter. When

you have finished

will find your pur-

where you may ar

all at once and give

instructions for de

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transfer card pro

tects you against the

loss of small parcels

and other inconveni-

Transfer

The Christmas headlights are shining at this store. The Headlight of Justice—throwing the searchlight of truth over the merchandise we sell, the statements of our salespeople and our announcements in public print, assuring one fair price to everybody and equal opportunities to all. The Headlight of Courtesy—opening up the store freely to the public as an exposition of the world's best products, serving the public carefully and politely at all times, but never importuning them to buy. The Headlight of Good Service—providing courteous, intelligent, prompt and efficient service, making Christmas shopping as pleasant as it is satisfying, giving first thought to the comfort and convenience of shoppers, and recognizing that nothing but final satisfaction ever seals a sale. The Headlight of Safety—a new modern building of steel and stone, without fire or furnaces, representing the highest degree of absolute safety, and a merchandising system that protects every customer against misrepresentation in qualities or values. Then the Headlight of Faithfulness—keeping faith with the public, which gives unbounded faith in the store, faith in its goods, faith in its prices, faith in its service.

Practical Gift Suggestions

TABLE LINEN

What more delightful than a choice piece of linen? Our Linen Department is simply bubbling over with, practical gift suggestions (useful articles for Christmas this season has been our aim), hundreds of pretty pieces from 121/2c up. Briefly listed, some very exceptional values in Damask Cloths and Napkins, Odd Napkins and piece Damasks. All our old reliable numbers and guaranteed pure linen. Limited quantities in some cases.

XMAS SPECIAL TABLE DAMASK, \$1.00 YARD. 200 yards only specially reserved for Christmas gifts at last season's price, choice of four designsstripe and pansy, stripe and mum, stripe and lily-ofthe-valley, chrysanthemum; all pure linen; 70 inches wide. Special \$1.00 yard

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\$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00 yard 72-inch Plain Satin Damask for lunch cloths or napkins, etc......\$2.25 vard TWO SPECIALS IN TABLE NAPKINS. 33 dozen only in choice designs, including spot, Fleur-de-Lis, Shamrock, Tulip and Rose; 20x20 inches; boxed for gifts. Special\$3.29 dozen

balance of a stock clearing in conventional and floral designs, 24 inches, beautiful quality. Specially priced\$4.95 dozen ROUND SCALLOPED CLOTHS.

These popular Round Damask Cloths make admirable Christmas gifts, in 21/2 yards diameter, giving a nice drop to even large tables. Special \$6.00 to \$7.75 2x21/2-YARD CLOTH AND ONE DOZEN NAPKINS. SPECIAL, \$7.75. A popular size and a much appreciated gift; cloth full 2x21/2 yards, and one dozen 22-inch Napkins to match; new plain centre effect in range of splendid We have a delightful range covering all prices from \$6.50 up to \$42.00 in Damask sets too numerous to begin to mention here, but pay us a visit and enjoy a real treat inspecting the charming designs and elegant qualities our extensive range includes. One quality we will mention worthy of special effort. Superfine Satin Damask in wonderful quality, choice designs in rose, conven-

2x2 Cloth and one dozen Napkins. Price\$16.25 set 2x21/2 Cloth and dozen Napkins. Price\$17.75 set

tional and plain centre, a balance of last year's contract just to hand:

G FT PARCELING AND MAILING COUNTER

This is another convenience for Christmas the Mail Order Office we have arranged a Parceling Office, where you may take your gifts, wrap them and have them posted before you leave the store. Gift boxes and Christmas greeting cards will be supplied with the purchase of gift goods, and

Christmas seals may be had here, You may have your packages weighed, stamped and posted from this office and avoid all this time and fussing at home. Take your gifts to the Gift Parceling Office, Fifth Floor.

We pay the postage or express on all purchases of \$10 or over. City packages de-

21/4 x 21/2 Cloth and one dozen Napkins. Price......\$19.75 set Down-Filled Comforters --- Serviceable and Economical

MAKE ACCEPTABLE CHRISTMAS GIFTS. Many people are unaware that down-filled comforters will give better service than any other style, even the homemade kind, for only the better qualities of sateen are used for covers; in addition to the careful quilting and the lightness and buoyancy of the filling, all tend to help the extra service it promises you. We can sell you a down-filled quilt at almost the price of a cotton-filled, from \$5.50 up. Higher-priced ones at \$6.25 to \$20.00 each. Why

not choose one as a Christmas gift? \$5.50 EACH-Well-Filled Down Quilts, in only large size, 72x72 inches, good quality covering, with three-frame borders, in colors of blue, grey, green, rose and black combinations. \$6.25 EACH—A very fine assortment of Down-Filled Comforters in very pleasing combinations, both 60x72 inches and the large size, 72x72 inches; colors of brown, blue, green, rose and black combinations: extra well filled.



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All are eager to begin, and without a ploy only one hundred women.

start any time after January 1. Those

ELECTRICAL TOYS AT CUT PRICES. Keene Bros., King St.

CUT-RATE TOYTOWN.

sitions announce that they

single exception state they will be ready He was doubtful if enough would

These fascinating materials, fresh and new for Christmas gifts, are now opened up in our Wash Goods Section in splendid assortment; pretty designs, dainty colorings, Japanese effects are the features most worthy of note; some are large patterns, others smaller in color; combinations of mauve, Copenhagen, pink, sky, rose, navy, fawn, etc. Do not forget that quality and price KIMONO CREPE in Paisley design, shadow effects, very soft colorings for

useful wear and shades suitable for elderly ladies; extra quality; 30 inches

Salad, Thin Bread and

n their own homes. There are married edition of The Advertiser, the manufac- contral, new company to be former; CHOSEN FRIENDS HAVE women, unmarried women and widows turer who is opening the plant is mak- Ripley, R. Swalwell & Co., harness who have thus applied to do their bit. ing provision at the present time to em-

volunteer who were really willing to holding positions announce that the can leave their present work on a week's notice.

work hard and stick to it, but of the can leave their present work on a week's notice. work hard and stick to it, but of the L. Douglas advertising hotel for sale. the coming year: Chief counsellor, W As announced in Saturday afternoon's believes fully 175 will fill all require-

THAT LIVER IS NO GOOD meets.

CISTRICT BUSINESS CHANGES.
Rejent business changes in Western street's are: Chatham, Richmond Gas & Oil Company, Limited, obtained charfer; Collingwood-Co charier; Collingwood—Collingwood Ship-building Company, Limited, change in or C. I. Hood Co., Lowell, Mass.

ELECTED 1917 OFFICERS Thomas-George J. R. Phillips, grocer, sold to John and Frank Batiste of Yar-At the annual meeting of Council No

mouth Heights; Tillsonburg-William 75, Canadian Order of Chosen Friends Law, publisher, dead; Woodstock-Mrs. the following officers were elected for A. Serle; vice-counsellor, W. Govenlock corder, Andrew Ellis; assistant

Overseas-Time For

Western Posting.

ABE LINCOLN'S WAY.



ON DIBGATE CAMP

nd is now located at Dibgate Camp

DIBGATE CAMP. There's an isolated, desolate spot I'd

LILLPUTANA

HAVE COME 10 TOWN

John Lung, the Laundryman.

First there is the story of the Giant's of Lilliputania, a book of

hair-raising fairy tales. Then when you have finished the story,

there is the city of Lilliputania for you to build. It is a tremend-

there too, Dave Dough, the Baker; Heave Ho, the Sailor: John

Bull, the Butcher; Spaget, the Organ Grinder; Mary Dough, the Baker's Daughter, and Henry Bull, the Butcher's Son, they are all here. Everyone from Professor Plus to Police Chief Dulin and

There are street cars on the streets and steam boats on the

All you have to do is to cut them out and build the most beautiful city that ever was dreamed of on a moonlight night.

The Giants of Lilliputania

circus parade.

Is an animated, living fairy tale. First you read it and then you play with it and there are weeks and weeks of play in it.

all ready to be cut out and put into the

And it's all so colorful and beautiful.

river. There are automobiles and fire departments. Even the

street lamps and the trees in the park are here.

Every building is there, skyscrapers and office buildings, stores and fire houses, postoffice and drug store and baker shore

ous city, although it will only cover the top of your table.

THE GIANTS

HAS KNITTED 240 MAIL EARLY, ADVICE PAIRS OF SOCKS IN THIRTEEN MONTHS GIVEN THE PUBLIC



BIRTHDAY PARTY-Movemall West

SHORT COURSES EEGIN .- The fir series of short courses in agricu and stock farming was held :

RECRUITING PICKS UP .- Yesterd

tiful ring. On Thursday a "Hard Party" will take place at the

ricia, and a large crowd is expected.

r meeting held last night in their coms in the Duffield Block, Court

lia A. O. F., elected the follow

urer, Fred Hawe; secretary, Robt ton; S. W., H. E. Carrin; J. W

ant Cemetery. The services will be conducted by Rev. D. C. MacGregor. DEATH OF MRS. DECKER. DANCE OF THE ALLIES .- Flag vere given away at the "Dance of t Ahies" held at the Patricia Dan

BURIED AT BRANTFORD

LOUSES ARE DECORATED

IN SOLDIER'S HONOR

BODY TAKEN TO MONTREAL ducted the services here.

liam Harvey, of Lachine, P. Q. TO BE BURIED AT WOODLAND. Cracken: delinquent committee, J. Ryckman and R. Whitton: juvenile committee, Fred Hawe and W. W. Smith; room committee, H. E. Cassin and Fred Hawe; union committee, Fred Hawe and H. E. Cassin; amusement Hawe and H. E. Cassin; amusement witten W. W. Smith and Fred Hawe.

ANOTHER OFFICIAL BRITISH FILM WILL BE SHOWN AT LYRIC ON CHRISTMAS RUSH

Parcels and Letters Still Going King's Visit To the Front Most Interesting.

PICTURES ARE INTIMATE

King George Swaps Jokes With the Men and Shares Cigarettes.

with ALLOWED LIQUOR TO BE DRUNK ON PREMISES

and is now with the 12th Field Artillery.

The letter, which is signed by tary John Robertson, reads in vas born in Scotland.

He is survived by his wife, one (especially in connection with electrons of the connection with electrons of laughter and two sons.

The funeral will be held on Thursedly an increase of hazard, it be

WEDDING BELLS

McARTHUR-CATT.

presence of the very near relatives and friends by Rev. Dr. D. L. McCrae.

PERSONALS Mrs. A. T. Edwards is in St.

Thomas today attending a meeting of board of Alma College, her alma

RECORDS.
The assortment of Victrola Records to found in the Victrola Parlors of You Olde Firme of Heintzman & Co. ed, 242 Dundas street, runs into the Interment will be made at Woodland thousands. You will there most ce tainly find the selections you want,

Ashplants ashplants Say, Dad, I Want Rubber Boots

If you have youngsters in your home, you'll undoubtedly get that "hint" thrown out to you between now and

Don't forget that Ashplant's carry a large stock of the petter kinds-priced so as to make the least possible dent on your pocketbook.

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Dressing Gowns...\$6.00 to \$10.00 Bath Robes\$4.00 to \$6.00 House Coats\$3.00 to \$10.00 Sweater Coats \$3.00 to \$5.00 Pyjama Suits \$1.50 to \$3.50 Lined Gloves \$1.00 to \$5.00 Unlined Gloves ... \$1.00 to \$2.00 Silk Mufflers \$1.00 to \$3.00 Linen Handkerchiefs, initialed

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own and the whole circus is here. you'll go crazy about it, The London Advertiser

Grown-ups will pretend to buy it for the | Wagons, elephants, wild beasts and clowns,

Has secured the exclusive right of distributing this wonderful fairy story and fairy toy to all the people of this city. It is a feature that would cost at least \$2.50 if bought in the regular way. But with the compliments of this paper and by only clipping the oupon given below, you're going to be allowed to secure it at the absurdly low price of

All you have to do is cut out this coup on below and bring it, with 60c, to this office and this wonderful fairy story, together with this wonderful fairy toy, will be yours.

You don't know how wonderful this is until you see it, how colorful and beautiful and how intensely interesting. Why, there are 120 buildings and things in this city, all to be cut out and put together and arranged in just the way you think most beautiful nto this wonderful City of Lilliputania.

Now cut the coupon here, bring it to this office, with the small sum of 60 cents, and this wonderful story and wonderful city of the Giants of Lilliputania are yours.

Here Is the Coupon.

Cut It Out NOW!

hildren. Children, don't you believe them!

And—Oh, yes! A circus just came to

They are buying it for themselves!

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THE MUTIVES.

To Doubt is now anywhere enterlized murder. The mad dog among and organizer of the gang, and a man who has organized one gang is, as a manner as to prevent a recurrence of manner as to prevent a recurrence of military rables.

The county council.

The council of the face of the earth, and his captured friends, though closely helped you." ade is becoming terrific, and in front

What a chance! Hohenzollern throws proceedings. the die and holds his breath to see how These farmer friends of ours will be it will turn up. At any rate, the German people will see that good plous one takes the trouble to drop in upon her eyes droop and the soft color rise to the steams Withern is doing all be can for peace, and the officials. The various commit-

should be conclusted. They have suffered much at Germany's hands, and without thorough understanding of an amazingly short time the upper "Forget" doubtless may have to suffer even more, what they are talking about. The counwhat they are talking about. The counpretty Nellie Hayes. those Americans, Norwegians and cil takes the reports of committees, making a good thing out of the war as a discussion, quickly reaches a decision. the world. Surely they will see that business of the county. They keep

Britain, with its pacifist element and The Middlesex county council and its the hall as he rushed in. enough. These western powers might be disposed to break their pact with

mind. But they will find that the \$100 hats and \$1,000 cloaks! (Later) Entente pact is as strong as adamant. Pierpont Morgan issues reassuring

THE LATE WM. GRAY.

This axiom was proved in the life of with milliners, modistes and patrons! William Gray, M.P., whose death oc- Honolulu orchestra touches up ukuleles! curred yesterday after a period of fail- Corks pop like machine guns! Horing health. Mr. Gray was one of the rible possibility fades into rosy prosmost friendly men in London and he pect of more profits, more wine, more not be a regular s int at the end, eltracted friendship. He numbered his women and more war! friends on both sides of the political fence, and his genial presence will be ereally missed. He was ready at all times to consider claims made upon him as the member of parliament for London, no matter who might make the request. His disposition won him for the Allies. Pris place in Parliament, and while he did not prominently enter into the activities of the House he was a favcrite with his fellow-members. His death to sincerely regretted by citi-

THE SQUEAL OF GERMANY. THE ANNOUNCEMENT of definite when the kaiser was sick, the hat has been added to the cost of milk, which reminds us there may be PICHE ANNOUNCEMENT of definite Germany should have the moral effect | mighty hard for him to look the part. of a great victory on the people of the Affect nations. The bragging bully who believed he could crucify civilization diers must fight on, says the kaiser.

And fight on empty stomachs, possibly, saving for his summer vacation, and Allied nations. The bragging bully who cried for "Quarter"! In the words of his charcellor, von Bethmann-Hollweg, the kalger, "in a deep moral and religious sense of duty toward his nation, and beyond it, towards humanity, now hand. considers that the moment has come for official action toward peace." In of war admitted that Germany did the words of the Allies, the kaiser is wrong. Now he knows that he's "in now spent in men and arms, in wrong." valor (?) and in moral support from his people, also in hope of divine or If the criminal is permitted to name do strengthen the breath. a not now "contemptible." The French terms of peace. ere not "bled white." The King of the Belgians still holds his honor, Justice | Poor old Bernhardi! It would seem has sent its hourly thrills of horror is put back on the shelf.

and despair through the world. Germany has a vast conquered territory within her lines of soldiers. But groaned when they read at the end ing sued for \$5,000 libel. It's every new acre requires more men, of the kaiser's peace spiel: "Until that the most flattering thing that and the kaiser's men have fallen like autumn leaves in a forest gale. Shells The old Conservative gossips are folbeen a play for peace. The kaiser had out anyway.

Imdon Advertiser another of his delusions, just as when he expected Britain to permit the trampling underfoot of Belgium. He believed the Allies struck with awe at the Rumanian spectacle. He shook the Greek menace in their faces. Then he trotted out his imitation dove of peace, a sadly-disguised carrion crow, in fact.

The Allies will laugh in his face now. With pigmy armies and undeveloped resources, with a single line of men from the channel to Switzerland, they held him off in 1914. Now they are just reducing a tremendous, new- Out of the door of a popular gamb- to her. And now the time had come. made fighting bulk to fighting condiling hall filed twenty hatless, coatless Nellie's look caused him to say.

"It'll be the best for you. Don't look tion. The machine may be clumsy, figures, and after them came a host of at me that way." he cried, as he took but it is powerful. The spirit behind officers of the law, namely, sharp-eyed a step away from her. "I'm not fit for

transaction of business. For a week contemptates with dismay. These are reasons why the chancellor gets up, and with his pious whine proposes peace.

The militarist regime at Potsdam, bearing the ominous cracking of its bearing the ominous cracking of its sufficiently interested to read the sufficient to the sufficient t many, plays eagerly for peace, even in the reports of the county fathers. They its hour of quast victory in Rumania. will have their contentious questions with hour of quast victory in Rumania. facing the city mobs. If it can win a personalities creep in. No one ever madly running down the long, smooth hall and took a small envelope for peace on anything like even terms, all heard of an exchange of drinking drive, His heart gave a thump as he a table drawer, then came and store may yet be well. Of course, if the glasses at a meeting of the county saw a girl dasning before the oncoming before him again. Entente will not grant a draw, then council, at least, not in the memory Potsdam may as well fight on, as its of the writer, who for more than twelve doom will be sealed anyway in case years has been more or less of necesof unsuccess in war. But a draw! sity an observer of the county council Bob first met her on the street, nearly day's boat. You see, Mr

Then there are the neutrals who tees hold brief sessions to hear re- distance to her home on one of the fashionable streets of the town. Time should be conciliated. They have suf-

very well the British love of peace, and seek much publicity, but its periodical the matter, dear? used to despise it till they found out comings cause one to realize the imhow the British soldiers fight. France portance of its deliberations upon the "Don't Nellie," he said huskily, as he looked embarrassed into her eyes, . . | welfare of the city, as well as county.

THE DREADED DOVE.

WFUL panic in New York! Re Mussia, and leave her in the lurch, balked of Constantinople and minus A wful panic in New York! Re-Poland. The possibilities of the future lerror to the hearts of all good citizens! Bethlehem Steel and General might then include a league of abso- Motors may go down! Proposal to butist Russia (eager for revenge), with stop the war a heartless plot! Cabarets absolutist Germany against western are emptied in one minute! Milliners and modistes prepare to march on Such ideas may be in Poisdam's Washington, demanding protection for in dim future! Leading citizens deprecate attempt to menace American pros-66118 WHO WOULD have friends perity! Slaughter will so on indefinitemust show himself friendly." ly! Hurrah! Cabarets quickly filled

EDITORIAL NOTES

Canada needs National Governmen

The German peace proposals are in the stuff. the nature of a bit of Christmas cheer

The kaiser was the war-maker. Unless the allies are beaten down, he will never play the peace-maker. What a protean actor is the kaiser!

He would wear the beard of Jehovah and the cloven hoof of Old Nick!

Until peace comes the German sol-The withdrawal of German divisions

from the Rumanian front means the strengthening of the Greek assassin's said Brown. Bethmann-Hollweg at the outbreak

good for weak lungs. They certainly devilish intervention. The hour has his own sentence, so should the Ger-What is a modern magazine? A small body of literature surrounded by struck for the Allies. The British army mans be permitted to make their own

zealous in the cause, do not approve of "kist." When they have the proper has at last armed herself and made as though the Germans have snubbed subject they find even "kissed" too ready to combat the treachery that him. "Kultur" as a dose for the world short.

> How the German soldiers must have moment arrives you will still fight on." has happened in his whole life.

intended for the campaign of defence lowing the lead of Grandma on Richin 1917 have been showered upon the mond street, and telling Miss Canada Rumanians. The whole desperate drive to beware of that fellow Laurier,of von Hindenburg proves now to have and Grandma hears he's going to drop

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The Two Passengers

only three times a year for the questioned, could not give the slightest only three times a year for the idea as to his whereabouts.

But there was one person in the city prepared to depart.

These are

The Advertiser prints many columns where the raid occurred who could "Bob," she hesitate"; then she came

> While in this park he saw a horse horse. Bob made a desperate attempt now on, Bob, you're Mr. John Edwa square, good-looking chap about

Dutch, though, of course, they are and with adequate, but not excessive, just took him on trust, thinking him ping and high cost of living all over financing of these things are the chief heart nor the inclination to undeceive up

very possibly jump at an ending of the znonotonous strife. The Germans know with more good results. It does not

Wait a Minute!

By J. H. F.

ease हु है है है काकाराजाकाक हु है ;;; है है काकाराजाकाक हु है है है काकाराजाकाक हु है है है काकाराजा

There are about 19,000 dogs in St.

Sundays and put a \$1 on the col-

lection plate, all because he lost

a bet on Judge Hughes. He will

A Frenchman has been sent to fail

It is said that everybody is buying

Our old friend has come to

our rescue with a few things as

nany a kick between the cow and the

to her, instead of saying 'This is so sudden,' she said, 'Well, I think it's

Can a solid fact leak out?

What is home without a snowshovel?

A "self-made man" generally man-ages to spoil his job somewhere.

Now doctors tell us that onions are

Some of the reform spellers, though

* 6 5

A newspaper editor in a small

town in Western Ontario is be-

Imagine any person thinking an

The trouble about a German offensive

Tommy Burns, erstwhile pugillst, has

editor had that wad of coin.

is that it is so doggone offensive.

sensible Christmas presents. That is just as exciting as drinking 2 per cent

ished because he did not poison

for 5 years for selling 360 cases of champagne to the kaiser. He probably

not a chance, Louise.

something lacking.

per invoice following-

folks there live to a ripe old age.

the machine is indomitable.

Britain alone would fight the kaiser until every possibility of further military amplitions are nullified. Reitain tary ambitions are nullified. Britain and France and Russia together will insist upon much more than the kaiser offers; the cost of the war in money must be met by Corrective to the cost of the war in money after a long run.

The gamblers had been caught in the everywhere for me this minute, but I had to come and tell you first that it's all true—what you'll see in the another than the men, except one, were seized after a long run. offers; the cost of the war in money must be met by Germany; the cost of war in lives must be met as far as possible by the destruction of the menace of vast armament and organized must be met and organized must be med as far as possible with the owner of the hall.

That was the one drawback to the whole thing, for he was known to the law authorities to be the main leader and a sharper, and that his business is to cheat men out of their hard-earned wages. I'm this same Bob Crane, he confessed to the only girl that he had ever loved. "I've been trying to get into something eise for your sake lately, dear, but I couldn't

HE COUNTY fathers gather in his captured friends, though closely helped you."

only three times a year for the questioned, could not give the slightest "I'm going to give myself up to the

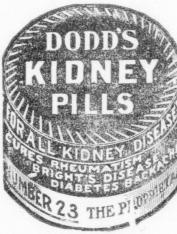
Nellie Hayes, the girl who had always

ing for mining stock sellers. Regular The committee of One Hun-This is the canine, not other dred may have taken the cheer away from Christmas, but we Kansas has only 572 Ilcensed chauf. figure that quite a few will get

feurs, probably explaining why so many in on the "hip, hip" hooray end

to see Tommy fight, would be easy pick

A New Jersey man has to go Somebody wants to restore the home to church for 52 consecutive divorce. What is home compared to a





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cabaret? That home spirit is a long and bird of prey, a customer CET Our Prices for Tin, Lead, THE CANADA wires us. . . .

A Michigan gent advises folks to eat alfalfa flour, made from the succulent as welcome to a lot of gents as a cold spell in Honolulu. We ain't mad. alfalfa hay. All right. Eat a cabbage souffle when you feel that way. Then you will know the answer to the age-old problem: Why is a Rabbit?

A Montana cowboy recently shot up a telephone booth. Once in a while a cowboy does a sensible thing.

Carranza is said to be bringing order out of chaos in Mexico. If what's going on there now is order, most of us would like the rougher thing.

We understand that there is going to be a third sex as a result of the war. All right. However, they persist in calling this new bird "she."

The kaiser is a bird to pray

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If you know a returned soldier, ask him about the need for munitions.

Ask him whether he thinks we can have enough.

Ask him what it means to charge a German trench that has not been blasted away by sufficient shell fire.

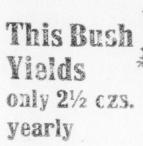
His answer should inspire you to any personal sacrifice when the call comes to work in a munitions plant.

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Thirty Years Ago. but the paper disappeared before I had Dear Miss Grey.—Seeing a reader's a chance to clip it.

request for this little "Clock" song, I am sending it along, hoping it is the one required. I used to sing it thirty buy at the 5 and 10 cent stores, with

ribbon and make a little bow of narrow L. H. Ans.—You've been a friend in need to the short which is highest when the shoe tree is in the shoe. The world as myself, appreciates it very much. pair in use, and the shoes are so com-fortable to put on when kept this way,

years ago, when I went to school.

Dear Miss Grey.—Can you give a menu, a color scheme for table decoration, and how we might beautify the table for the 25th anniversary party of lows, for a pair.

would like to make place cards, and ribbon and put a pocket on, fastened would like an idea how I can manage it, with a dome, makes a pretty and pracwhen I am not a famous artist or even bills around, and who might get robbed would like the recipe for mock whip- in a big, wicked city.

ped cream. You gave it to me before, Please try and publish this some day

nniversary party details. Yours eve FANNY. Ans.-A lovely table

efore Christmas, so I can attend to the

Ans.—A lovely table decoration cheme, and one appropriate to the ocasion, would be to place in the centr the table a mirror, round, oval, o uare, with smilax (or other M you cannot obtain smilax) banked round the edge; in the centre, stand a liver basket or vase, of white carna-ions, with "trailers" of the smilex to he edge of the mirror. If the basket s used, a large bow of silver and white auze (you can buy it at the florist's) ight adorn the handle.

Another idea (if you live in the country and can't get flowers) is to have festions of fir (they may be made by basting the twigs firmly to strips dark cotton) spruce or cedar, hangng from a hanging lamp or chandelier, to the corner of the table, where bows silver-grey and white ribbon might onceal the ends. Sprinkle all with nica dust. The centre of the table ould be occupied with a nicely-iced wedding" cake, surrounded by a gar-

nd of the green. As place cards are invariably desired ouvenirs at events of this kind, It rould be nice to have them engraved or inted by a stationer. A heart-shaped ver-edged card could be used, with announcement on something like

> Smith Reserv 1891-1916 December 25th. Mary Smith, John Brown

Glencoe, Ont smaller card of the same shape, the guest: the cards are secured by a

you do not wish the expense of them yourself out of heavy linen writing dress overlaps the left at the closing save the cutting out.

white china if possible. A menu, reemingly suitable, would be: Cream of Celery Broth Roast Fowl Creamed Potatoes

Mince Pie White Grapes. eart-shaped portions if you wished The mock whipped cream, and a lemo jelly could be served instead. The cream | Province is made by grating apples, sweetening and beating in the stiffly frothed whites Age tif of eggs.
Thanks for your little Christmas hints. Measurem

Hope these ideas help a wee bit. Governor-General's Salary What salary does the governor-gen-

ral receive yearly? Sincerely yours, ONE WISHING TO KNOW. Ans.—Sorry, I can tell you nothing about this disease or a cure for it uppose one should follow a doctor's first visit or I

Dear Miss Grey,—Please may I join postage. e letters for so long that I feel as if again.

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HIGHGATE, Dec. 12.—The Highgat branch of Women's Missionary Society

will meet at the home of Mrs. C. L. McLaren on Thursday afternoon, De-

NEWBURY WOMEN ACTIVE.

ast meeting of the year at the home to do?

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print your request for coupons, but you see they had to be banished from our Mail-Box for lack of space. Using your recipe elsewhere on the page. A Topaz.-One has been sent you in QUESTION CLUB V. S. sends words of a recitation en

titled, "The Lifeboat," beginning, "Been out in the lifeboat often?" Who By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D.D. (All Rights Reserved.) "In the Dust" wants to correspond with "Happy Kid." Will the latter send her address and postage to forory on which this study is based, as r pender the following questions:

NEWBURY. Dec. 11.—The Women's greatest possible view of God's spiritual missionary Society of Knox, held the universe, what is it necessary for us

The Holy City." Rev., xxi., 1-4, 9-14, "Friend of the Khaki-Clad-Have lden Text-"Behold, the tabernacl sent you the prisoners' addresses. Hope you'll write us again. od is with men, and he shall dwell hem, and they shall be his peo-MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETING. Rev., xxi., 3.

Verse 4-What will be the positive syments in heaven, which we get a taste of on earth? Verse 9-What is the employment cember 14. Lunch will be served. A silver collection is requested. f the vast number of angels that are 10. Verses 10-11—If we would get the

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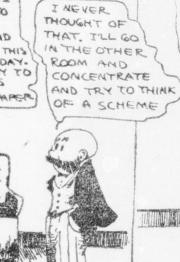
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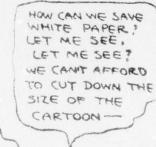
STRAIGHT NEWS AND SIDE SLANTS ON SPORT

Trade Mark Register in Canada)

MUTT AND JEFF --- Now We Suppose the Price Will Go Up on Black Paper

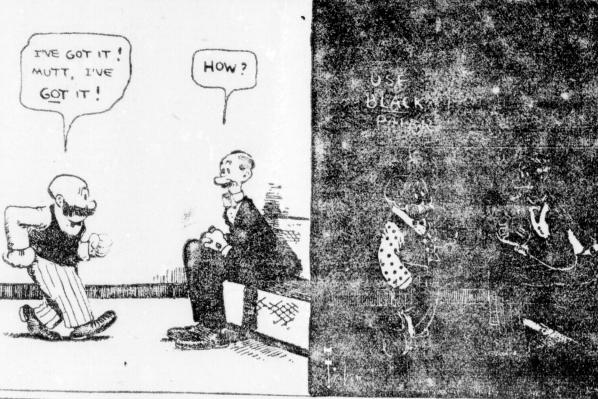
JEFF, I'VE JUST BEEN THINKING WE OUGHT TO DO SOMETHING TO HELP OUR PUBLISHERS. YOU KNOW THE PRICE OF WHITE PAPER HAS GONE UP FROM 14 (ENTS TO FOUR CENTS A POUND, AN ALMOST PROHIBITIVE PRICE. AND LOOK AT THE WHITE PAPER THIS CARTOON OCCUPIES EVERY DAY. WE OUGHT TO FIGURE A WAY TO USELESS











First Game at Ingersoll Bowling MAGNATES ABOLISH DISABILITY LIE London Juniors To Play

Schedule Drawn Up for This District Junior O. H. A. at Meeting Held at Woodstock Yesterday-Opening Game on New Year's Day.

WOODSTOCK, Dec. 12 .- At a meetng here this afternoon of representa- Battalion (St. tives from London, Woodstock, St. A. A. Thomas and Ingersoll, comprising No. 7 district, junior O. H. A., the following schedule was drawn up.
Jan. 1—London Hockey Club at In-

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DISABILITY LIST

Clubs May Carry Twenty-Two Players Next Season.

list, under which clubs were permit and adopted a new rule for 1917 a lowing each club to carry 22 player from May 15 to August 31, in place of

between the International League and ous St. Michaels, winners of the Allan dight by making the highest total score American Association clubs were gone Dominion of Canada. into. It was agreed that each club The O. H. A. certi donate \$625 instead of \$500, to make the purse for the winning league \$10,-000. Then the International League conceded that the series should begin in the western cities, and the committee which will control the post-season.

Dominion of Canada.

The O. H. A. certificates will be in the hands of the clubs on Saturday morning, as they will be mailed from O. H. A. headquarters on Friday afternoon.

176 183 170—529 141 178 156—475 214 198 205—617 193 184 174—532 199 171 185 524 conceded that the settle in the western cities, and the committee which will control the post-season games is to consist of Presidents Hickey and Barrow.

892 914 871-2671 open about April 18, and close August There was a young fellow named

173 207 191- 591 AWAY TO GOOD START

Hockey Club Organized at Enthusiastic Meeting.

MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE

The Has-Beens failed to get three ames from the Marconis last night.

The Nationals and Brunswicks battle

The Marconis must have had a streak of luck last night when they won the

Manager Sheere bowled a nice game ast night, but Paul Mascari was

Arnold and Rose seem to be the main upport of the Scott-Chamberlain team.

The Blue Labels and McClarys meet

onight in the Manufacturers' League.

Crummer bowled a nice game last night in the Manufacturers' League.

IMPERIALS GET TROPHY.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
SARNIA, Dec. 12. — The Imperial baseball team was awarded the trophy as winners in the City League basebal series last summer. Arrangements for next season's games will be made

BREAK IN JUAREZ RACES. JUAREZ, Dec. 12.—There will be no racing here on Wednesday and Thursday owing to changes in the betting

next season's games will be made

onight in the City League.

hree straight games.

at the spring meeting.

[Special to The Advertiser.] INGERSOLL, Lec. 12.—At an enthusiastic and well-attended meeting ince. this evening, the Ingersoll Junior Hockey Club organized for the season. The majority of last season's players will majority of last season's players will be rallied, and it is expected several have a fast senior team.

mpire Brass 0 0 .000 officers were elected:
Honorary president, J. A. Coulter,
Chas. White, C. C. L. Wilson, Mayor
W. J. Elliott, R. B. Hutt, E. Lee, A.
There will A. Gibson; vice-president, Jas. Grieve; first 'vice-president, Chas. Woolson; second vice-president, Dr. Murray; third vice-president Wm. Gemmili: the highest total score with 448, while second vice-president, Dr. Murray; Pearse of Cowans made the highest inthird vice-president, Wm. Gemmil; executive committee, Dr. Furlong, Ross Mayberry, Vincent Wilson. Percy English, Geo. Gregory, secretary-treasurer, lish, Geo. Gregory, secretary-treasurer, found on that hockey team this sea-

O. H. A. CERTIFICATES GO OUT OX FRIDAY

159 125 160—447 [Special to The Advertiser.]
170 146 110—426 TORONTO, Dec. 12.— As the re134 115 89—338 sult of the receipt of a letter from The Colborne Street Methodist 127 129 129—385 England from Capt. James T. Suther-hockey committee held a meeting last late 140 162—448 land, president of the O. H. A., the evening and formulated plans for oracting president, Sheriff Paxton of ganization.

RE-ELECTED LEADER OF INTERNATIONAL



national commission's finding, in regard to the payment of \$9,000 by the McKay as captain of the famous old cup and amateur championship of the

HOCKEY GOSSIP

Who once tried to learn to play hockey;
But when he was through
He was all black and blue,
And felt most infernally rocky.

The L. A. A. A. will hold a meeting Thursday evening, December 14, in their club rooms at 79 Dundas street, to discuss organization Eighteen military hockey teams are

listed in the O. H. A. in the prov-

Wyckoff will manage the St. Mat-

in the city this winter, but the church

Harold Logan and Arnold Wooton are two good players for the Colborne Street hockey team.

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ALL HOCKEY FANS BASEBALL LEAGUE ASKED TO TURN UP

nockey in any way is asked to turn out City League basketball series, which at Hyman Hall tomorrow night. Train- was to have been played off last night

Dis-fam- WEGNER'S GIANTS

Baldwin Defence Burridge Referee-Mascara.

FINAL CITY LEAGUE GAME OF BASKETBALL THURSDAY

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Last of the Series to Have Been Played Last Night Between Dowler's and the Y. Juniors, Postponed.

The final game of the season in the



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Paper Mill Profits Almost Doubled in First Half of 1916

American Probe Shows Big Jump for the Manufacturers.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 12 .- The federal trade commission re-opened hearings here today in its investigation of the rise in newsprint paper prices, presenting facts gathered by its investiin the plants of American and Janadian manufacturers, producers, bbers and paper users were heard. Tables prepared by the commission were brought out at the hearing to how the following conditions: Both Canadian and United States averages show no increase in cost of 916 as compared with 1915.

paper manufacture in the first half of Selling expenses in the first half of 1916 were lower than in 1915, and proer ton were higher. The percentage of profit on investment figured on book investment, increased from 5.92 per cent in 1915 for nineteen companies 9.34 per cent for fifteen companies the first half of 1916. Raies of proon the cost of investment would we been even higher could the figures ve been obtained. Market prices increased in 1916 to a greater extent than contract

Canadian mills are manufacturing than American mills.

ALMOST GIVEN UP."

Samia, Ont .- "About 27 years ago I doctors I could get, but it just seemed galleries and newspapermen nothing was going to help me. I had demonstratively in the applause. ive up and die rather than suffer as A neighbor of mine told me of Pierce's wonderful remedies and I decided to use them. My husband bought me six bottles of 'Favorite Pre-I had not ta'en it long until felt better. In less than six weeks I was out of bed, and in less than six nths I was cured and have been well ever since. Do all my own work.

in the house. Have 'Favorite Prescription,' Golden Medical Discovery' and The indefinite adjournment of the tion, 'Golden Medical Tiscovery' and Smart-Weed'—anything prepared by Adviser, which I have had 26 years; it tantamount to a vote of confidence has been very valuable to me."-Mrs. Way, 232 Ontario street, Sarnia, Ont. ter, mother, sister need help, get Dr or tablet form from any medicine dealer today. Then address Dr. Pierce, Inva-lids' Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., and get confidential medical advice entirely free. A most valuable book in any home is Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. A splendid 1,008-page volume,

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Goat Mascot of the 111th Back in Camp

GALT, Dec. 12 .- "Puck," the goat mascot of the 111th South Waterloo Battalion, who was so well-known to visitors to Carling Heights when the battalion was located there, and who was lost when the unit reached England when marching through Hythe, was recovered in that by Sergt.-Major Scott Bartleman, and was taken to West Sandling Camp where half of the battalion is still camped. The "One-one-one" boys gave "Puck" a royal reception on his return, according to letters just

PART OF REICHSTAG OPPOSED TO TERMS; PROMPTLY GAGGED

To Support Peace Proposals.

Berlin, Dec. 12--Via London, Dec. 13 print paper at about \$4.50 a ton less -The speech of Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg before the Reichstag today, in which he declared that Germany was willing to make peace, was not marked by a single expression of dissent, while the significant passages were was taken very bad, my blood, too, was in bad shape. I got so I had to go to bed and I was there for over three triedrich von Westarp, the Conservative months. I could not eat and suffered leader, and others of his following sat untold agony. I had three of the best silent and unmoved even when the galleries and newspapermen joined

almost given up. I thought I would When the chancellor had concluded never be any better and was willing to his speech an attempt was made to force an immediate debate by the annexationist bloc under Major Ernst Bassermann, leader of the National Liberals, and Count Westarp, supported by the Extreme Socialists. moderate parties who agreed with the chancellor that a general discussion of against German militarism as possible peace conditions, before the attitude of the enemy powers was made have raised three daughters, two are married and have children. They have used it and they are healthy, so are their children. I am sure it was all on the matic disadvantage. Their attitude was account of my having them use the that if the central powers exposed all their cards before peace negotiations 'I keep all of Dr. Pierce's medicines began they would be placed at a dis-

Reichstag by its own decision leaves

PIONEER MISSIONARY

OF NOR'WEST IS DEAD First Man Who Ever Plowed in Alberta Dies in Midnapore, Alta.

CALGARY, Dec. 12.-Father La- ridiculous. We, too, are consc combe died at the Lacombe Home in victory, and his boastings will be Midnapore, Alberta, Monday morning. laughed at."

carriers of the Hudson Bay Germany is victorious Company were guided by his explora-ions when they first entered the Father Lacombe was born in St. Sul- Commons, said: 1828, and came to Manitoba in 1849.

HOTEL HARRISON

CORNER KING AND TALBOT STREETS, LONDON, ONT. RATES-\$1.50 TO \$2.00 PER DAY

UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

I beg to announce to my many friends who know me as late chef at the City Hotel, that I have taken over this hotel to manage and operate, and will be glad to see them again at my tables. I believe I am modest when I say that there is not a better meal served in London at the price of 40 cents, nor can better rooms and service be had at the rates

O. LOUIS ROMER, PROPRIETOR.

What about the Belgian Children's Christmas?

This is not an appeal to give the children of our Ally the same kind of a Christmas that our own little ones expect, with Santa Claus and toys and candy. They have given up hope of that till after the war.

It is simply a call for food-for enough bread and soup to stop the pangs of hunger that hundreds of them feel every day.

The cost of a moderate size turkey-of two or three boxes of chocolates-of one of the many presents we have formed the habit of giving to those who do not need them, will feed a Belgian family a whole month !

Don't you think the money will do more good if this year you give some of it to the Belgian Relief Fund? Will it not be more pleasing to Him whose birth we celebrate? Send your contribution weekly, monthly or in one lump sum to Local or Provincial Committees, or

SEND CHEQUES PAYABLE TO TREASURER

The Greatest Relief Work in History.

BRITISH FEELING HOSTILE TO PEACE MOVE OF TEUTONS

Evidently Effort To Shift Responsibility.

LONDON NOT IMPRESSED

Has Not Created as Much Interest as Cabinet Crisis.

London, Dec. 13 .- A strong current of public sentiment opposed to the N.S., writes: "For ten years I suffered and died in a Toronto hospital. German peace proposals was evident in with my back, and was so weak I could he first expressions available last not do my washing or any hard work, press, although these were without ney Pills, and they helped me so much without any word from high authorita- do my washing, and since then I have offering. tive sources containing the sentiment

of the Government. In the absence of some tangible offi- put up under similar names. See that cial proposition British officials were disposed to maintain reserve. It was noticeable that the proposal had not created any profound impression among ne average Londoners. There was little talk in the hotels or other public places, and this discussion was far less animated than in the recent ministerial

Want Details First. Government circles also held aloof armies, and thus continue the enor-from any discussion, with an evident mous war burdens of the present, inlesire to learn more of the details be- stead of being permitted to resume fore ecamitting the new administraion to a definite course of action. The will not again be plunged into war. oreign office would make no com in the absence of terms, but indicate that the British attitude up to the pres ent was embodied in the declaration nade from time to time by the forme premier and Viscount Grey, and that any new proposals would have to be considered by all the Entente Allies before a definite attitude was p Those in close connection with the new Government took the view that the proposals would prove entirely unacceptable, mainly because they were not ikely to touch what the ruling auth was firmly resisted by the leaders of the ties regard as the most essential basis of any peace—namely, such guarantee nit England, France and their allie o demobilize their vase armies, reduce their enormous military expenses, and return to lasting conditions of peace.

Iliness Defers Announcement. Both Premier Lloyd George and Mr. Balfour, secretary of state for affairs, are slightly ill, and this may in deferring the announcemen f the plans of the new Governmen next Thursday, but if an announcemen Or. Pierce is good. I also have a copy of the Government a free hand to conduct ence to the German proposals, thought further negotiations, and is regarded as this is unlikely, pending the receipt of the People's Common Sense Medical ence to the German proposals, though the proposal itself through official

> Laugh at Boastings. Some expressions showing the early drift of public sentiment were as fol

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle: "We want know more about the terms, without them the imperial chancellor's uggestion of peace is preposterous

with engravings and colored plates. A copy will be sent to anyone sending fifty cents in stamps, to pay the cost of wrapping and mailing only, to Dr. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are the original little liver pills, first put up nearly 50 years ago.

Midnapore, Alberta, Monday morning.

He was one of the oldest pioneers of the West, having come here 67 years ago to take up missionary work among the Indians and half-breeds. He composed a large dictionary and grammar of the Cree language, and claimed the distinction of being the first man to guide a ploughshare through the soil of Alberta.

Midnapore, Alberta, Monday morning.

Peace Disastrous Now.

The Marquis of Londonderry: "We have got to win this war. Peace at the present time would be disastrous to the nation and the Empire. It is only a question of time, and we will win out absolutely."

Principal Burrows, of King's College: "No peace is possible on the basis that

Political Manoeuvre. Gilbert Parker, after mingl with his associates in the House Commons, said: "This is clearly L'Assomption County, Quebec, in political manoeuvre, designed to press the world as a dramatic stroke out having little serious purpose to the chief essentials of any peace would be such a curbing of German militarism that a resumption of the present conflict would be impossible Without such a guarantee England

ECZEMA ON FACE Was So Bad Had To Stay in House.

All skin diseases such as eczema or Saskatoon 4,245 salt rheum, itching or burning rashes. eruptions, ulcers, boils, pimples, etc., are all caused by bad blood, and while Weyburn not usually attended with any fatal results, may sooner or later develop into some serious blood trouble, and the entire system become affected.

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Mrs. Ernest Andrews, Hamilton, Ont., writes: "My face was covered with eczema and was so terribly bad I had to stay in the house. I had ten different doctors, but got so tired of their treatnent that I went and bought a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters, and it helped me, so I kept on taking it. Now I am Saturday were found dead from guncured, and have a lovely skin.

shot wounds. Spain admitted his iden-"People who used to see me when I tity. was so bad and see me now will not be-lieve it, but I always tell them that DORCHESTER R. B. P. OFFICERS. othing cured me but Burdock Blood

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Try a Little Magnesia Instead. Some people instinctively shut their eyes to danger, and it may be that instinct, or custom or habit causes dyspeptics to take drugs, patent foods and medicines, artificial digestants, etc.

But closing the eyes does not banish the danger, and it is certain that neither drugs nor medicines possess the power the danger, and it is certain that neither drugs nor medicines possess the power to destroy the harmful excessive acid in the stomach, which is the inderlying cause of most forms of indigestion and dyspepsia. They may give temporary relief, but ever-increasing quantities must be taken, and all the time the acid remains in the stomach as dangerous as ever.

must be taken, and that is why remains in the stomach as dangerous as ever.

Physicians know this, and that is why their advice so often to sufferers from digestive and stomach trouble is "Just get about an ounce of pure bisurated magnesia from your druggist and take a teaspoonful in a little water immediately after every meal. This will instantly neutralize all the harmful acid in the stomach and stop all food fermentation, thus enabling you to enjoy hearty meals without experiencing the least pain or unpleasantness after ward.—Advt.

meetings in Lake Shore Congregational Meetings in Lake Shore Congregational Churches.

NEW PEEL JUDGE.

OTTAWA. Dec. 12. — B. F. Justin, K. C., of Brampton, has been appointed country court judge for Peel, succeeding Judge McGibbon, retired. Col. J. S. McInnes, assistant adjutant-general at Ottawa, will leave for London, England, shortly to go upon the staff of Sir George Perley.

SUFFERED TABLOID NEWS OF CANADA, THE WAR WITH BACK AND THE WORLD

rom weak, lame and aching backs, ow-

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SERIOUSLY ILL

WOUNDED

STRATFORD.

TILLSONBURG

GODERICH

WINDSOR.

COMBER.

in Cities 14,528 Voted to Abolish Dis-

REGINA, Dec. 12.-Voting on the

abolition of Government liquor stores

system in the province yesterday was so one-sided that it was practically

for the abolition of stores, and this proportion was increased in the voting

some none at all and votes of 150 to 1

two suparters of dispensaries.

Following is the vote of cities:

Totals 14,528

Moose Jaw...... 3,690 Prince Albert 933

Swift Current

was the same.

ceptably.

towns, villages and rural districts many * wns there was only one or

Yes.

4,280

OF WESTERN COUPLE

TORONTO, Dec. 12. -- Bertram J. P.

Spain, a 16-year-old agency boy, who

has been working on a farm at Stone-

wall, Man., was arrested tonight in a Toronto hotel, on his arrival from the

thorities. The arrest is in connection

with the murder of his late employer,

DORCHESTER, Dec. 12.—The

wing officers of the Pride of Middle-

nter; deputy preceptor, Ernest Paul;

ers, J. J. O'Neil and J. S. O'Neil; Wm. Wilson and Geo. Chit-

iams; treasurer, J. Kernohan;

y night by Past Perceptor John

Worshipful preceptor, Wilbur

Archie Ross; registrar, Geo.

nimous. Cities voted 14,528 to 2,286

pensaries While 2,286 Wanted

Them,

Sergt, Harry A. Stoneham

Pte. Wm. J. McNernie.

Pte. Harry Carl Brown.

Pte. Bruce Gould.

Pte. Thomas Bell.

Pte. Fred Odi

Pte. Reuben Sallows

Pte. G. S. Breen. SIMCOE.

SASKATCHEWAN VOTERS

Lieut. B. J. Bates.

Pte. Bruce Leask.

Pte. L. G. Davis.

KILLED IN ACTION

their household duties.

been in perfect health."

ited, Toronto, Ont.

FOR TEN YEARS. The overdue Furness Withy liner Messina arrived at St. John, N. B., yesterday. Rough weather delayed her. Women are the greatest sufferers

The degree of Doctor of Civil Law ing to the continual stooping, bending and lifting so necessary to perform will be conferred upon the governorgeneral, the Duke of Devonshire, by McGill University.

some derangement of the kidneys, were there not something wrong with the kidneys the back would be strong the C.P.R., and assistant to the president, has, at his own request, been put on the retired list. Doan's Kidney Pills will take out all the stitches, twitches and twinges, limber up the stiff back, and give perfect

backed, suffering women.

24, whose home is at Red Bay, Bruce County, was struck and fatally injured Mrs. Chas. Thibeau, Church Point, by a suburban car on the Weston road, the hell where they belong. If you fail in your promises it may mean disas-

Sir Thomas White, minister of night, both from public men and British a friend advised me to use Doan's Kiddians to keep their money at home, inknowledge of any definite terms, and that after I had taken two boxes I could without any word from high outborite. do my washing and since then I have

> The Hearst International Film Service, frequently strongly pro-German in tone is being barred from Canada by action of the motion picture censorship boards of the provinces. No action has been taken by the federal authorities.

dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Company, Lim-Attorney General Gregory has no intention of resigning now or later, it is said authoritatively. According to of ficials this makes it certain that all of President Wilson's cabinet will reand France would be compelled as a matter of self-defence to retain vast main in armies, and thus continue the enormain in office for at least a time after fairs-Artistide Briand.

By a vote of 42 to 14 the Senate late yesterday adopted the committee amendment to the immigration bill peace with the assurance that they which would exclude Hindus and othe Asiatics without mentioning them by name, and which eliminates from the bill all reference to passport agree-

> Lloyds Shipping Agency announces that the Danish steamer Inger, a vesse of 786 tons, has been sunk.

Many Are Reported Wounded The report that the British steamer Tanfield was sunk last Saturday was Premier Borden Discusses Germany's an error. The steamer has safely ar

> The Russian Duma is united against the German factions. Both chambers demand a change in the Government, and it is expected that within a short time Russia will have representative of the people of Canada, as it is the and 2. government.

In all sixteen were killed and many wounded in a riot at Tourcoing on the ing here tonight occasion of the deportation of 300 Bel civilians by Germans. A soldier started the riot when he struck

The Cologne Gazette says that General von Stein, the Prussian war mincommanding the home forces, with powers including control of the censorship laws, as well as other laws relat-

A dispatch to Lloyds Shipping Agency from Falmouth reports the Belgian the owner made his steamer Keltier of 2.360 tons bound towed into that port full of water, from | DORCHESTER CURLERS ORGANIZE. off the Scilly Islands. The steamer was abandoned, damaged by a submarine but did not sink, as previously reported.

miralty that two big transport steam committee, Dr. Banghart; J. B. Sandy, partments rather than come back home ers were sunk by subs in the Mediter- Colin Campbell, J. Rennie, R. A. Logan without doing "a bit." They report the loss of the steamer King Malcolm one of the boats referred to, was announced some days ago. She was no a transport, but an ordinary cargo vessel. Her captain was taken prisoner by the Germans.

The Italian war office communication ion yesterday says:
"In the Adige valley there were only the usual artillery actions. During Sunday night an attempted attack by the enemy against our position Dosso Casina, southwest of Loppio, in the Cameras valley (Trentino front) was checked.
"Continual bad weather yesterday prevented artillery activity even on the Carso."

were not uncommon. Soldiers to the number of 1,500 voted on the question at six, with nine missing. The dead Peterboro fire death roll now stands and of that number 376 voted for dispensaries.

are: Edward Howley, Vincent Farnalo, Walter Holden, Dominic, Mardine, Philip Carboni, Thomas Parsons. The No. ing are: William Wesley, J. W. Gor-761 don, James Foster, Ernest Staunton 472 Dennis O'Brien, William Hogan, Alex 536 McGee, William Vosburg, John Conway

> Peace proposals caused great sensa 103 tion in Scandinavia. Copenhagen pa pers believe Allies will reject offers.

Sir Edward Carson publicly appeals to every Britisher to make sacrifices for the general cause.

Washington dispatches indicate Wilon may use Germany's peace posals in an effort to bring about a

eace conference, Spanish radicals have bill to stop provisioning of German subs.

EXETER NOTES.

Exeter, Dec. 12.—An entertainment nder the auspices of the Young Ladies' Missionary Circle, consisting of a threeact play entitled "Aunt Maggie's Will," solos, duets and choruses, will be given in Main Street Methodist Church on Wednesday evening, December 20. Mr. and Mrs. J A. Steuart have reeived word that their son, Pte. Douglast Steuart, has recovered from his operation, and is able to be back with the battalion again. Albert Etherington has sold one of 100-acre farms to J. T. Morgan of

WOMEN AND CHILDREN SAFE. NEW YORK, Dec. 12.-The women standard bearer, Harry Hughes and children among the 232 passengers G. F. Neely; persuivant, John on the United States transport Sumner, which is hard aground off the New Jersey coast, have been removed, ac-CROWDED TEMPERANCE MEETING cording to a message received here Forest, Dec. 12.—There were not seats enough in the town hall to ac-

commodate the large crowd that at-SPECIAL SERVICES AT "CRAIG." tended the mass meeting here on Sun-day evening in the interests of the Ailsa Craig, Dec. 12.—Rev. Dr. Spen-er, late of California, preached two Dominion Alilance. The chair was occupied by Rev. J. A. Loverie, the speakers being Rev. Ben Spence of Toronto and Robert Stirrett of Petrolea. W. Norris, Toronto, sang accupied. A collection was taken unit of the speakers of the speakers being Rev. Ben Spence of Toronto, sang accupied. F. Eborall, tenor soloist, of Toronto, sang acceptably at the even-A collection was taken up to \$99.25. In the morning afternoon Mr. Stirrett held drawing large crowds.

and in the afternoon Mr. Stirrett held meetings in Lake Shore Congregational and North Plympton Congregational CONCERT FOR RED CROSS. Ailsa Craig, Dec. 12.—A noted enter-ainer will appear in the town hall on Monday evening, December 18, at 8 p.m., in aid of the Red Cross, and will be assisted by local talent, including Miss Florence Leitch, reader, Misses Maude Morton, Alma Robinson and Ada Munro; also bagpipes by Messrs.

Donald McLellan and Robert McLean, and Harry Lauder selections by R. Men and Harry Lauder selections by R. Mc-Lean, in costume.

"SEND PROFITS TO HELL," HE TELLS MANUFACTURERS

TORONTO, Dec. 12.-J. W. Flavelle hairman of the imperial munitio board, who returned from England a few days ago, this afternoon accompanied by Col. Edwards, inspector-general of munitions and Mr. Gordon and Mr. Fitzgarald of the remaining and Mr. Fitzgerald of the munitions board, met two hundred leading muni tions manufacturers from all over On-tario. Mr. Flavelle, who said he was was sweating blood to win the war, bluntly told the manufacturers Canada had failed to make good her promises to Britain in the matter of delivery of munitions. He stated that in the inspection houses in Britain he had seen Canadian shells which were faulty. Good shells meant victory John Reid, a munitions worker, aged defective shells were deadly to our own

"Profits!" he said. "Send profits to

Col. Edwards stated that it was hoped to establish training schools where uniformity of inspection might be taught. One was already in opera tion in Montreal, and in the near future one would be opened in Toronto.

BRIAND'S WAR COUNCIL OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED

Result of French Cabinet Shakeup Gives War Control to Five. Minister of Finance-Alexandre Ribot, other source. Minister of War-General Hubert

Lyautey. Minister of Marine-Rear Admiral Minister of Fabrication Nationals ncluding munitions and transportation-Albert Thomas.

The five foregoing cabinet members

will form a council of national defence NO TRUCE TILL PEACE

FOR YEARS TO COME

Proposal. SASKATOON. Dec. 12 .- "It is the termination of the people of this land -of the peoples of the British Empire

spirit of her men at the front, in the So said Sir Robert Borden at a meetpeople. The application of his words to the news of the day swept over the Day; treasurer, Dr. J. H. Hazelwood.

CENTRALIA COOPS ROBBED. CENTRALIA, Dec. 12.—People in the uses, as recently some coops were dow before retiring and saw a man

DORCHESTER, Dec. 12.—The local curling club met Monday night at the A claim made by the German ad- treasurer, W. Van Eglind; executive test are now doing work in other de- fracture his arm in the fall.

WOMAN'S BODY IN ICE, CHANGES ALREADY START ROPE AROUND NECK

Detroit Has Another Apparent Murder Mystery.

[Special to The Advertiser.] DETROIT, Dec. 12 .- The body of an inidentified woman, imbedded in ice under the bridge over the ditch near Caylor and the Seven Mile road, was found today by a farmer who was nunting rabbits. A rope was tied abount the woman's neck. Officials bo'eve the body may have been carried to the scene of its disovery after death elsewhere, and it the official belief that Detroit has another murder mystery.

20,000 IN RIOTS AT HAMBURG, SAYS REPORT

Local German Soldiery Unable to Quell Disturbance.

the most serious riots took place in tion dump near Vimy was seen to be Hamburg on December 7, 8 and 9. It afire. says that it is estimated that more than 20,000 persons participated in the north bank of the Ancre, in retaliation rioting, and that a thousand were for the enemy shelling points in wounded or killed. According to this rear, we bombarded his support PARIS, Dec. 12.—The new French abinet, according to an official list quell the disturbance, and it was necessary to send troops to Hamburg on were accounted for. One fell inside our Premier and Minister of Foreign Af- special trains from Berlin. There is lines. One of our machines is missing. no confirmation of the story from any

SOCIAL SERVICE COUNCIL ELECT 1917 OFFICERS

Plans Big Congress in Toronto January 31, February 1 and 2.

romonto, Dec. 12.—The social serdice council of Ontario held its annual neeting today. Delegates were present from the Presbyterian and moored beside a German interned vessel there. Anglican and Congregational Churches, as well as from the National Council Women, the Wonien's Christian Temperance Union, the Young Women's Christian Association and the Young Men's Christian Association Bishop Sweeney was in the chair. 18 —that there shall be no truce. There was decided to co-operate in holding convention held here today, J. H. Marshall be peace, which means peace, for a social service congress for Ontario ceau was the unanimous choice for Toronto on January 31, February 1 candidate for the next provincial elec-Officers elected for the coming year

President, Bishop Sweeney; viceattended by 2,000 presidents, Mrs. Canon Plumtree and audience, and for an instant there was The executive committee is of one representative from each of the

units present at the meeting. 161ST BROKEN UP. WINGHAM, Dec. 12.—Chester Copeand of the 161st Battalion, now in England, writes home that he had the honor of hanging his hat in the House

Kitchener once hung his hat. Ches- moved to W. C. Tudor's new block, forroadway apparently watching. When ter is an ardent military man. Before enlisting he was a mail clerk on the London, Huron and Bruce train, and s now in the army mail department been fitted up for a postoffice, making overseas. His brother Ernest is in the one of the lightest and roomiest post-Letters from some of the boys now The ladies of the right training in England state the leist is purpose holding a bazaar on tea or broken up, and detachments are being Saturday in Tudor's block. The vessel has been grounded in Falmouth Harbor.

The vessel has been grounded in Falgivers were elected for the ensuing broken up. and detachments are being Saturday in Tudor's block.

Some of the H. Mosure had the misfortune to Calvert; secretary and boys who did not pass the physical step backward out of his wagon, and

IN FRENCH REORGANIZATION

PARIS, Dec. 11.—General Nivelle, ommander of the French troops at Verdun, has been appointed command-er-in-chief of the armies of the north and the northeast. The official anuncement of this appointment says t is the first step toward the reorganization of the higher French command

ANOTHER CHANGE.

PARIS, Dec. 12.—General H. J. E. ourand, who was in command of the French expeditionary forces at the Dardanelles, but was wounded and invalided home, has been appointed to ucceed General Lyautey as French resident general in Morocco.

BRITISH SUCCESSFUL

LONDON, Dec. 13 .- The British offiial communication issued shortly be-

ore midnight says:
"Last night (Monday) we carried out successful mining operations south of Ypres, in the vicinity of the bluff. Hos-LONDON, Dec. 13.—The Express been active opposite Festubert and tims to have reliable information that Neuve Chapelle. An enemy ammuni-

"Yesterday three enemy airplanes

SUBMARINES REPORTED AT CANARY ISLANDS

PARIS, Dec. 12 .- A dispatch to the Havas Agency from Las Palmas, Canary Island, dated December 10, but

UNANIMOUS CHOICE

North Bay Liberals Pick Candidate for Provincial Election,

NORTH BAY, Dec. 12 .- At a Likera!

RELIEF ACT DOES NOT PROTECT FROM A DEBT

Vancouver. Dec. 12.-Chief Justice Hunter this morning held that the war relief act does not apply to protect the wife or mother, or other dependents of a soldier from a liability on a debt due against the private estate of the dein pendent

THEDFORD'S P. O. MOVED. Thedford, Dec. 12.—The postoffice has The ladies of the Presbyterian Church

Dr. A. J. Grant is in Victoria Hospi-

Getting Rid of the Ashes

They report tal.

The fire in the human body is not unlike that in

You cannot get a bright, hot fire until the ashes are removed. Neither can the vital organs of the body perform their functions while poisonous, waste matter remains in the system.

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transient advertisements that

BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

HARVEY-At the residence of her son-

in-law, A. M. Smith, 339 Princess avenue, on Dec. 12, 1916, Emma Drake, widow of the late William Harvey, of Lachine, P. Q. Funeral private. Interment at Montreal.

MEETINGS

Dominion Lodge NO. 48. its in their hall, Richmond street, (Wednesday) evening, at 8 o'clock.

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First publication, sixth day of December, 1916.

L. H. MATTHEWS.
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crib, high-chair, linoleum, washer, tubs,
kitchen table chairs and goods, etc.

To take the vote of the ratepayers of the township of Dela- England; 472446 A. F. Howlett, England; zxv ware entitled to vote on money 427999 E. G. bylaws on a question to be submitted whether the said rate- Missing, Be payers are in favor of having acquire through the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of already supplied or can be obtained under the existing con-38c tract with the Hydro-Electric Missing-Nos. 151587 A. B. PHONE 1730. Power Commission of Ontario. Whereas the Municipal Council of the | Winnipeg. Corporation of Delaware Township Missing-Nos. 410005 John Angus deems it advisable to submit to the North Bay, Ont.; 163956 Henry White

ratepayers of the said township of Detaware entitled to vote on money bylaws, a question as to whether the said ratepayers are in favor of having the municipality develop or acquire through the Hydre-Electric Power Commission of Ontario, whatever works may be resulted for the supply of clastic energy.

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ear Peace Offer For Home -Consumption.

PACIFISTS CHEERED UP

see No Reason Why Terms Should Be Re jected.

York, Dec 13 .- Germany's peace oused the keenest interest utrals adherents of the Allies cifists, says the Tribune. Neuelieved that, if sincere, the offer many's part, and might lead voiced the suspicion that he was intended for home con-Members of the League t Peace expressed hope and detheir readiness for the camaign that must come with the reon of diplomatic relations. Made for Rejection.

of those declared that the promade simply for the purpose ection, that Germany might have or even more relentless res than before. Pacifists saw of peace, and could discern ason for the rejection of the

, editor of the Independent, indicate one thing—that a nge has come over Germany. onths ago Germany would not to suggestions from some of her people that she make a move for Then Germany declared she the only god on earth." Scoffed At.

French and British circles in this the Teutonic peace overtures were d at as insincere and character-

ermany's latest proposal for peace not receive a moment's eration by any of the Entente said Stephane Lauzanne, edi-

erritorial conquest or political dommation, but for two ideas. First, we now have a Europe dominated by German brutality and bestiality, and we nust crush out those qualities; secon prepared by Germany, and we must Election of Officers Held in Lodge Lieut. unish Germany for her crimes against

"The Allies will break through the stern front next spring. We will that time have piled up ammunition igh, and the British army will then

DRAFTED BY KAISER.

to the ambassadors of neutral states last evening. This was done in the name of the kaiser by the chancellor, who returned from field headquarters on Saturday. The page was done to the page and the saturday. personally by the kaiser after a confernce at army headquarters with King udwig of Bavaria, von Bethmann-Iollweg, the minister president of Baaria, and Foreign Secretary Zimmer-

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Far, far from Ypres, I long to be, Where German snipers can't get at me Think of me crouching where the worms creep.

sleep.

"German peace proposals," said Ham-"German peace proposals," said Ham-Holt, editor of the Independent, A dozen rat holes around my head, Dodging the rain drops through the

ted a military decision. But she evidently come to realize that she Dreaming of home and nights in bed With someone's hand upon my head

(Air of "Sing Me to Sleep.")

bid for the sympathy of neu-\$2,000,000 ONT. BONDS

chief of the Paris Matin, when Garry at noon today opened tenders viewed last night in the Hotel for the \$2,000,000 province of Ontario ten-year 5 per cent gold bonds, dated ifax were advised of the vessel's plight December 1, 1916, payable principal and and dispatched to her assistance the nan peace offers with silence if they out of interest in gold at the office of the steamers Stadacona and Petrolite. The uid, ne continued. But, out of provincial treasurer, Toronto, or at the Stadacona was in Shelburne, and was

www. and want it badly.

"We, the Allies, are not fighting for news."

ELKS' EXALTED RULER

Rooms Tuesday Evening.

The annual election of London Lodge. No. 35, B.P.O.E. was held in the lodge om at the corner of Carling and The following are the officers chosen London, Dec. 13.—The Daily Tele-aph's Rotterdam correspondent says: H. Keene; lecturing knight, T. H. Hodgkinson; chaplain, Roy O'Neill; es-

The note was drafted BIG TIMBER LIMIT

LET TO J. J. CARRICK Toronto, Dec. 13.-The Pic River pulp

and timber limit tender has been let to "The leaders of political parties in J. J. Carrick, M. P. for Port Arthur, the Reichstag were not let into the who until recently was assistant eyesecret until this morning, when they witness on the Flanders front. The ere received by the foreign secretary. price is the largest ever paid for a timhe majority of the Reichstag deputies ber limit in Ontario. The tenderer has re in the dark until the last mo- to put up a million-dollar pulp mill, and

INTERESTING MEETING

Victoria Mothers' Club Brings Season to a Close,

A meeting of more than ordinary in-Club was held on Tuesday evening.

fact that Christmas is very near. with a sip of water at the close derson, pupils of Mrs Henderson, de-Ferrozone is a marvel. It contains numbers in elocution by Miss Elsie st what thin blood lacks-lots of Poure, and two vocal numbers by Miss n, but mark you, the kind of iron Edna Weston with Miss Wildern as accompanist, were much enjoyed. last meeting of the club for the year

PERTH LICENSE OFFICER

Organizer, and Popular.

[Special to The Advertiser.] STRATFORD, Dec. 12 .- F. E. Elliott unless the terms outlined should be has received word at Listowel of his especially attractive.

tife. For some time he was organizer fight against Prussian militarism, which for the Canadian Order of Foresters offers to restore Belgium, but for Engfor the Canadian Order of Foresters, lish navalism, the effects of which all and was successful. He is a son of neutral nations experience to their in-W. R. Elliott of Gorrie, a nephew of jury and shame. Robert Elliott, high-secretary of the C.O.F.; a cousin of Mayor Elliott of Ingersoll, and a brother of T. H. R. Elliott of the Blyth Standard. For he past six years he has been associ-

ated with Mr. Kemp and is fully qualiled for the new duties. He is a member of the public library ooard, and also of the board of management of Knox Church. His appointment will necessitate his removal

to Stratford. CARADOC ENGAGEMENT. - Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm J. Campbell, Caradoc, announce the engagement of their edding to take place this month.

FRENCH AND GREEK REGULARS ENGAGED IN A BIG BATTLE

Berlin, Dec. 13 .- Via Say- Sending Home of Lieutenantville.-Fighting is in progress between Greek regular troops an dthe French, the Overseas

Berlin, Dec. 13.-The news agency says the fighting is taking place north of Katerina, about 60 miles southwest of Saloniki, and that the Greeks have a force of 5,000 men.

News Agency announces.

The town of Katerina has been captured by the Greeks, the news agency says, the French line of positions having been pierced. The Greeks are said to have taken up a line between Katerina and Borbotzko.

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FEAR TORPEDO BOAT

those on board, and it will be published as soon as available. The Grilse was purchased by the naval service department early in the war from Mr. J. K. L. Ross of Mont-She had a length over all of 175 feet. The vessel carried a crew of fifty, mainly enlisted in British Columbia. The list is not available at Ottawa, but is kept at Halifax. The disaster is the first to occur in the Canadian navy.

oon the Grilse was sighted by an oming stea.... outhward and pparently all well. The Grilse is an burner and her decks were laden with barrels containing fuel so that she was apparently out for a lengthy cruise. Last night's radio call for help was picked up. The message was picked up by New England wireless station. The naval authorities at Halprovincial treasurer, Toronto, or at the sourcesy to the neutral powers who will present the German peace terms, the Allied governments will, of course, have to answer. Then we shall be entertained by an interesting situation.

Will Be Turned Down.

"What will the people of Germany think and what will they say when they find that an official peace offer yo Germany has been turned down at Yer The German people want peace now, and want it badly.

Will Se German people want peace of the source of the west of the source of the west. The captain of the Boston of the amount will be applied to Chippawa Creek power development by the hydro commission.

Mr. McGarry pointed out that the actual cost of the money to the province was 5.057 per cent. A number of tenders from New York were withdrawn as a direct consequence of the peace.

The belief expressed here is that the life of the first to arrive on the scene, and the

The belief expressed here is that the Grilse had trouble with her engines Grilse had trouble with her engines last night, and that when the gale came on she found herself in distress July came on she found herself in distress at sea. The Grilse was a low-lying Dec. . . 49 craft and if exposed to heavy seas May . . 53 would be continually washed by them. July \$\infty\$ 50% Wingate was formerly on H.M. C.S. Rainbow.

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leading on terms as favorable, or to make peace at all on terms of her own choosing.

Boston Globe-The German Govern ment would not talk peace if it thought

Boston Advertiser-The proposed causes which produced this war would live, festering and wholly unsettled, to breed some new horror. It is difficult to see what inducement there could be for members of the Entente to consider any such offer, unless they were ready

to admit that they were beaten. Philadelphia Inquirer-Always when rumors of peace have been started they

Alles to accept these terms, no one does. Were such terms accepted the honors of war would rest with the Central Powers.

Washington Post.—Germany chooses a most inopportune time in which to propose peace negotiations. The purpose seems to be to hoodwink he world into believing that the Allies are responsible for a continuation of the war. The end is not in sight. Every battlefront indicates that the war will tage three or four years longer, at least.

Open. High. Low. 1:30.

Louisville Courier-Journal. — The world has understood for some time that Germany was ready and anxious to each the world that ready and the world to end the war if she could do so on terms that would not savor of humili- December ation to herself. The element of surrise in her present initiative is that the should announce her readiness to juit on what are intimated as terms of That tired feeling is replaced by the buoyant, joyous sensation of health Native of Listowel, Former C.O.F. quit on what are included the restoration of the status quo before the beginning of the war. Louis Republic.-The present

nour is not a favorable one in which 10.99 to propose peace to the Entente allies

Cincinnati Volksblatt.-It is a fore-

Milwaukee Sentinel. - Speculation about the outcome will be rather futile until it is learned whether Germany's advances will find the Entente Allies in a more receptive mood than was indi-zated in the recent bellicose statement by the new British premier. But as Mr loyd George is, as they say, somewhat nclined to "think in headlines." his rhetoric about fighting to a "knockout" eed not perhaps be taken too seriously Germany certainly has so manoeuvred as to put responsibility for the prolongation of the war upon the other side,

DUTTON MAN RETURNS. DUTTON, Dec. 12.—Pte. Wm. Cade oungest daughter, Margaret Helena of Gerald Morgan Zavitz of Lobo. The He left with the 91st, but was rejected

CAPABLE OFFICERS **OUGHT TO BE GIVEN** CHANCE, IS OPINION

Colonels Meets Criticism.

MORE BATTALIONS?

Belief Is That All Future Overseas Forces Will Be Drafts.

It is possible that no more battalions will leave this country as units. For many months it has been advocated Wool is practically all marketed, but St. Paul... that, as all officers accompanying units 30c to 40c a pound is offered. Cow to England, with the exception of colonels, are immediately reduced to the and No. 2 for 19c. Caliskins bring 30c rank of lieutenant, and as all noncommissioned officers revert to the ranks, it would be fairer to these men to reduce them in this country.

The suggestion, it is believed, is about to be acted on. The battalions would then assume the status rafts and the commanding officers we take the drafts over on the understanding

that if it were impossible to make use

be given permission to return to Can-ada and re-enter their own professions. Men drawing the pay of senior officers in this country, knowing that they would be reduced to a lower rate of pay, would be able to make different dispositions of their personal affairs.

The intention, as reported in Page 1. The intention, as reported in Page 2. The intention of their personal affairs. lish cable messages, of sending home to Canada all officers who went to England in command of battalions and who do not care to go to the front with lieutenants' rank is not thought to be an unmixed blessing. It is claimed that some of these officers are extremely capable and should be given an opportunity of getting to the front. Their abilities, in some cases, are said to be superior to those of men aiready in command of units in the firing line. Loafing around England, drawing full pay and living in expersive hotels, all at the expense of the Government is regarded as an injustice to themselves and to the country. All of them have already cost the country a considerable sum of money which will be largely loss in case they are sent home and discharged.

A GRAIN.

Winnipeg, Dec. 12.—Wheat closed Swc down for December and 3%c in May. Barlev Owas 1c to 6c lower. Flax lost 6½c in December and 6c in May.

Ut was a big, excited, bearish market on war news. The first reports got little credence from the trade, though they caused some early decline, but later developments caused wheat to drop. The decline went over 10c, and the close was a period of weakness. The volume of trade was fair, owing to the active market and the wide ranges, though there was no special feature. Liquidation was general. Several big interests were on the selling side.

The cash market was weak, with all wheat except No. 1 and No. 2 northern almost unsaleable. Premiums took a to Canada all officers who went to

FORMER ST. MARYS MAN DIES ON TROLLEY CAR

WINDSOR Dec. 12 .- Harvey Misener dropped dead on a Walkerville car today. He was a St. Marys, Ontario, man, a carpenter by trade, and had lived with his son, Elgin, at Drouillard Burial will take place at St.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET Open. High. Low. Close. Close 1564/1564/1504/154/154/154 1673/1673/1633/1673/1653/ 1441/9/1498/1433//1433//

CHICAGO PROVISION MARKET.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET. [Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.] Winnipeg, Dec. 13.

at— Prev.
Open. High. Low. Close. Close.
..1721/4 174 1691/2 1723/4 1721/4
...1771/2 1781/2 1731/4 1771/8 1773/8 Dec. ... 52% 54% 52 54 53% May ... 57% 58% 55% 58% 5714

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN MARKET. Reported by Thomson & McKinnon. Minneapolis, Dec. 13.—Wheat—Close-

COTTON HAS STARTED TO "COME BACK," AND

drive in Belgium is not conducive to faith in a change of heart in Prussian militarism. It is far more likely that the Entente will find in the proposals a sign of weakness.

Philadelphia Ledger.—Germany is apparently playing, not so much for peace, as for the conciliation of neutral opinion. She does not expect the honors of war would rest with the Central Powers.

Washington Post.—Germany.

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I Reported by Thomson & Mckinnon. New York, Dec. 12.—Although early in the session there was further weakness in the cotton market due to a little liquidation that was not completed by esterday, the feverishness and excitement soon gave way to a saner view of the situation. The heavy liquidation that culminated yesterday afternoon placed the market technically in a splendid position. The contracts were no doubt taken on the breaks by spinned on the preaks by spinned on

High. Low. 1:30, 18.40 17.91 18.11 18.63 18.15 18.33 18.34 18.51 18.83 18.37 18.55 16.92 16.60 16.68 18.08 17.90 17.90

Liverpool. Dec. 13.—Cotton—Futures closed irregular and unsettled: December, 10,70d; December and January, 10,70d: January and February, 10,74d: February and March, 10,80d; March and April, 10,89d; April and May, 10,95d; May and June, 11d; June and July, 10,99d; July and August, 10,97d; August and September, 10,6/d; September and October, 10,25d; October and November, 10,10d; November, and December,

MRS. CLAYTON'S LETTER

To Run-Down Nervous Women

Louisville, Ky.—"I was a nervous

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

THE LOCAL MARKET

The local market was a particularly small one today. Hay was scarce, but the highest price paid for it was \$13.50 a ton, and some only brought \$12 a ton. Straw was firm at \$9:50 to \$10.50 a ton. Oats were unchanged at \$2 to \$2.05 a cwt. Wheat sold for \$1.65 a bushel for ew, and \$1.60 a bushel for old. No barwas offered.

Live stock prices are firm. Hogs are selling for \$11 a cwt. and fat sows for \$8.25 a cwt. There is no demand for at \$14.25 to \$14.50. Veal is steady at \$15 to \$14.50. Veal is steady at \$15 to \$14.50. Veal is steady at \$15 to \$16 a cwt., and beef at \$9 to \$11.50. Lamb is selling for \$18 to \$19 a ton.

The hide and wool market is steady. Wool is practically all marketed, but 30c to 40c a pound is offered. Cow hides, No. 1, are selling for 20c a pound, and No. 2 for 19c. Calfskins bring 20c a pound of 32c a pound of the selling for 20c a pound, and No. 2 for 19c. Calfskins bring 20c a for 19c. Calfskins a for 20c a for 19c. Calfskins bring 20c a for 19c. Calfskins a

of their services at the front they might

Creamery butter is retailing for 48c Vegetable and fruit prices are steady.

wheat except No. 1 and No. 2 northern almost unsaleable. Premiums took a drop, and No. 3 northern is now a delivery proposition. Oats and barley were also weak.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Owing to the unfavorable reception given in London and Paris to the German peace pronosal, the wheat market today showed some tendency to advance. Decided acrossness was evident, however, and prices fluctuated rapidly. The volume of transactions was large, but on noth-

Liverpool, Dec. 13.—Wheat—Spot was steady; No. 2 hard winter, 16s 11d.
Corn—Spot steady; American mixed, new, 13s 101/2d.

Bonds—Anglo-French 5's. 931/2 ... Sales to noon, 916,300 shares.

Dec. 13.-Flour-Winter per ounc HOPS. Liverpool, Dec. 13.—Hops (in London) -Pacific coast, £4 15@5 15s.

PROVISIONS. Liverpool, Dec. 13.-Hams-Short cut. Bacon—Cumberland cut, 93s; clear

CHEESE. white, new, 128s; do, colored,

Liverpool, Dec. 13.—Tallow—Austra-lian (in London), 54s 9d. Turpentine Spirits—54s 6d. Rosin—Common, 23s 6d. Petroleum—Refined, 1s 1¼d. Linseed Oil—53s. Cottonseed Oil (Hull refined)—Spot,

London, Dec. 13.—Calcutta linseed, December and January, 110s; linseed il, 53s. il, 53s.

Sperm Oil—£46 10s.

Turpentine Spirits—54s 6d.

Turpentine American strained, 25s 3d;

ype G, 25s 6d.

Toronto, Dec. 13.—Receipts at the Inion stockyards today were 874 cattle, 90 caives, 2,341 hogs and 610 sheep. Trade was active and prices strong. Cattle—Exporters, choice, per cwt, 25@9 50; butchers, choice, \$8 50@8 90; Trade was active and prices strong.

Cattle—Exporters, choice, per cwt, \$25@9.50; butchers, choice, \$8.50@8.50; do, medium, \$7@8.25; do, common, \$6.25@6.75; do, cows, choice, \$7.50@7.75; do, medium, \$6.50@6.80; do, canners, \$4.40@4.60; do, bulls, \$5@7.75; feeding steers, \$6.20@6.75; stockers, choice, \$5.50@6; do, light, \$4.50@5.20; milkers, choice, each, \$50@120; springers, each, \$50@120; colives, \$5.00.120; springers, each, \$50@120; colives, \$5.00.120; do, \$1.20; do, Hogs-Fed and watered, cwt, \$11 75.

Chicago, Dec. 13.—Cattle—Receipts, 27,000; market weak; beeves, native, \$6,90@13.50; western steers, \$6,90@10.40; stockers and feeders, \$4,50@7.75; \$ 925@1250.

Hogs—Receipts, 63,000; market dull
and lower; light, \$885@965; mixed,
\$925@10; heavy, \$945@1005; rough,
\$945@960; pigs, \$7@875; bulk of sales
at \$945@990.
Sheep—Receipts, 24,000; market firm;
wethers, \$870@960; lambs, native,
\$1050@1325.

MORE GOLD FROM CANADA.

New York, Dec. 13.—Gold to the amount of \$9,000,000 was received from Canada today, consigned to J. P. Morgan & Co., and will be deposited at the

WALL STREET. New York, Dec. 13-Wall Street, 10:3

assay office here.

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New York, Dec. 13—Wall Street, 10:30 do pid. 97 36 C Loco. 95 36 do pid. 97 36 do pid. a.m.-Extensive covering of short con-

rregular.
1:30 p.m.—The rise halted in the after neon, profit-taking being quite genera in coppers, steel and those specialtic which had made the greatest gains Rails also yielded from substantia fractions to a point, but hardene

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE. Thomson & McKinnon, 16 Dominic Savings Building, report fluctuations New York stocks for The Advertiser

New York, Dec. 13. Trunk Lines and

Ray Consolidated, 28½ 205% Utah Copper....112% 116½

New York, Dec. 13.—Bar silver, 76c London, Dec. 13.—Bar silver, 36%d

> nths. 51/2 @ 5% per ce LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

War Loan % above quotations of yes terday. The market varied little an closed quiet, with weakness in met stocks, rubbers, Brazilians and Ott closed quiet, with weakness in metal stocks, rubbers, Brazilians and Otis Steel, and further strength in home funds.

Only a few bargains were recorded in American shares in the early hours. United States Steel declined \$ points and other issues from 1 to 3 points, but this merely represented the usual markings do to a parity level. Americans failed to develop further life later in the day, and the market closed dull, United States Steel shares being weak.

Closing prices were: £19 Canadian Pacific Chesapeake & Ohio Chicago Great Western Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul. De Beers Denver & Rio Grande

Erie, 1st pfd.

Grand Trunk

Illinois Central

Louisville & Nashville

Missouri, Kansas & Texas.

New York Central

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Pennsylvania Railway United States Steel

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.
[Reported by Edward Cronyn & C.
Toronto, Dec. 17

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MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE Montreal, Dec. 13.—Sales: Brazilia io., pfd., 50 at 9234; Detroit, 199 at 1 to 12%; Ottawa L., H. and P., 5 at 94½ Porto Rico, 446 at 30; Quebec Railway 440 at 43 to 431/2; Shawinigan, 50 at 132 Toronto, 11 at 80 to 78; Canada Car, 135 at 41 to 40; do., pfd., 80 at 80; Canada Cement, 370 at 691/2; General Electric. 7; Smelting, 470 at 36; Dominion Stee Corporation, 4,030 at 75 to 76½; Laurentide, 135 at 200 at 203½; MacDonald 2,000 at 3; Temiskaming, 2,300 at 63,500 at 62,700 at 62½; Vacuum Gas, 600 at 110, 200 at 104, 100 at 105, 100 at 104, 100 at 103; White Reserve. 700 at 33; Kenrebeck, 100 at 32, 500 at 30, 1,250 at 31; Boston Creek, 2,000 06% to 107; Price Bros., 50 at 124 Riordan Paper, 200 at 1351/2 to 135 Smart Woods, 10 at 57; Spanish River at 81 to 841/6: Spanish River, pfd., 155 at 63; Steel of Canada, pfd., 60 at 106 to 1061/4: Ogilvie Bonds, \$9,000 at 1831/4



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of January, 1917. The transfer books will be closed from the 15th to the 31st of inst., both days inclusive.

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Meeting Last Evening.

The slight interest which London taxpayers take in city business was SANTA CLAUS videnced last evening when about orty citizens attended the public STOCKINGS meeting in the city hall to hear important questions discussed. E. H. Russell was chairman.

nd Controller White spoke. One objection to the proposition, he CRACKERS_ said, was that the company would not guarantee continuity of service. The young folks happiest. Contain hats, maximum price was fixed at 42½ cents caps, jewelry, musical instruments, per 1,000 cubic feet, with a rebate of etc. hought, however, that the rate would ontroller White considered 15 or 1 ents per 1,000 feet of gas equal to

soft coal at \$4 per ton. The price asked seemed too high in s opinios. Gas from Tillsonburg, he nought worth boking into, as unlike ribbury brand, it contained no sulbur, and would be available for do-

"It is claimed that it ranks 1,000 gainst 600 when compared with arificial gas, and Mr. Brackin appears MAKE DIRECT REQUEST be able to quote a much lower ice," he said. Regarding municipal coal yards.

ch were next discussed, Ald. Palwas of the opinion that
consent of Parliament would be
Water Free of Charge. ecessary. He was not sure that they yould be profitable.

One citizen urged that the city could

One citizen urged that the city could handle coal yards profitably, and held that the board of trade is siding with health for water tests in future. At

ities of life.

Others urged the submission of these had made the regular charge. It was

ed to everybody," he said.

"We are forced into this by other ment in a newspaper that some of the up-to-date cities." Some amusement houses supposed to have been fumi-was caused by a man who persisted gated last year showed diphtheria again

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Mr. Thompson of Evergreen avenue, urged the elimination of candidates who Mr. Thompson of Evergreen avenue, lic Health for tests made. Dr. Hill reged the elimination of candidates who look the municipalization of all necesuestions to the ratepayers.

Gordon Phillips, industrial commissioner, was asked to explain the \$100,
decided to have the commission apply direct to the board in future, and the 00 bond guarantee bylaw. "Industries broduce wealth and wealth is distributn inquiring what kind of wages would this year. He declared that in 1915, be paid in the factories to be brought 105 houses had been fumigated, and in here. "Returned soldiers, after the only one was there any case of diphwar, must have employment," added theria. The strange part of it was that

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For a Gentleman
A pair of Military Brushes, in ebony an sterling silver. From\$2.00 u
Cigarette Cases, plain and engraved. From \$1.00 to \$35.0
Cuff Links at
Waldemar Chains, in the newest designs. A
A Signet Ring at\$3.0
A Cane at\$1.0
An Ash Tray at\$1.25 to \$2.0
A Smoking Set, in brass and mahogany, A\$4.00 to \$6.5
A Leather Cigar Case at\$2.0
A Fountain Pen at\$1.00 uj
A Fob at
Cigar Cutter at\$1.0
A Knife at\$1.50
A Tiepin at
Do not fail to visit our Bar

WATCHES

Ladies' anteed Gold. Filled Expansion Wrist Watches from .. \$12.00 up Military Wrist

Watches, from \$3.00 up Gents 16-size Waltham in Fortune case, for We also carry a full line of high-grade Walthams, Elgins, Howards, Illinois and Ball Watches.

CUT GLASS

Bud Vases, floral cut
Sherbet Glasses, floral, \$4 to \$10 half dozen French Dressing Bottles, Hawkes cut, \$2 up
Cut Glass Water Set, six tumblers and pitcher \$8.00 set up
Two Salt Dips, in a case\$1.75 set up Cologne Bottles\$1.00 each up
Spoon Tray, floral design\$2,50 up Cut Glass Salt and Pepper, with sterling sil-
ver tops

For a Lady Friend

You may have a friend for whom it is hard to select a gift. Below is a list of a few of our novelties: Smelling Salts Bottles, with sterling silver tops. From\$1.25 to \$4.00 Photo Frames, in ivory, silver-plated and sterling. Prices from40c Brass Dinner Gong\$3.50 Lingerie Pins, in gold and sterling silver. 50c pair up Spot Pins in enamel, gold and sterling silver35c pair up Bedroom and Traveling Clocks, in ivory mahogany, bronze and leather \$2.00 up Coin, Vanity and Dorine Boxes, from 75c up Gold and Silver Pencils, from.......75c up Napkin Clips and Rings, in sterling silver. From\$1.00 up

CHINA

One table Cups and Saucers, special 50c each One table Cups and Saucers, special 75c each See our range of High-Class China, including Royal Crown, in the 2451, 1128 Mikado and peacock design.

Coalport, in many designs. Aynsley China, in the yellow, rose and

Paragon Chinz, in gold ban I, with Gree's key. Gold band, with Greek key and wreath. Also the newest in black and white scripe, with combination of the rose and carnation.

Gifts Suitable for the Baby

Baby Pins from25c up Baby Lockets and Chains from \$1.00 up Feeding Spoons from75c to \$3.00 Rings, signet and stone set......\$1.00 up Strings of Small Pearl Beals at.....\$1.50 Rattle, mounted in sterling silver ... White Comb and Brush at\$2.00 and \$2.50

RINGS

Baby Signet and Gem-Set Rings......\$1.00 Ladies' Gem-Set Rings\$1.00 each All sizes. Greatest value in Canada. Ladies' Signet Rings from\$1.50 up Gents' Signet Rings, large sizes...\$4.00 up Single-Stone Pearl Rings......\$3.00 up Five-Stone Pearl 14k Gold Rings.. \$5.00 up Ladies' Cameo Rings, in pink, green, brown and black\$3.00 up

See our display of Gents' Stone-Set and Emblem Rings. Ladies' Birthday Rings, large stone, at \$2.00 each Fancy Stone-Set Rings, with combinations of

MANTEL CLOCKS \$7.00 Up



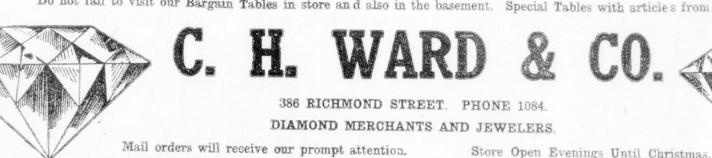
rgain Tables in store and also in the basement. Special Tables with articles from 25c up to \$5.00.

Sterling Silver Tea Balls....\$3.50 and \$4.50

Sterling, Gold-Filled and Solid Gold Thim-



386 RICHMOND STREET. PHONE 1084 DIAMOND MERCHANTS AND JEWELERS.



he same child was again infected with CHRISTMAS TREE FOR

"I simply want to correct any state ents that the houses are not being roperly fumigated," said Dr. Hill. To Be Invited.

Take No Action, There was a petition from the res!ents of Knollwood Park asking that d houses be not placed in that sec-These were considered unsightly nd a detriment to the property anitary Inspector Lutman reported at the houses were not insanitary d the board decided that no action ould be taken on the matter.

During the month of November 7 uses of chickenpox had been reported d also 37 cases of diphtheria, three scarlet fever, 70 of whooping cough, of german measles, and eight of ective jaundice. There were two aths, both from diphtheria,
Rate Reduced.

The reduction in the mortality rate diphtheria was noted by Dr. Hill. September there were 23 cases, with deaths, or a mortality percentage of 7. In October there were 29 cases, 2 deaths, or a percentage of 6.9, ile in November there were 38 cases, 2 deaths, or 5.3 per cent. plained that the disease prevalent in severe type in August and September ad disappeared, and the cases were eing reported earlier, with the result antitoxin was given at earlier ages of the disease. The disease was ying down. There was an increase whooping cough. Dr. Hill stated nat the school nurses had assisted reatly in discovering the various cases. During the month twelve cases of berculosis were reported. Four were sen cases, and eight were closed. Of he later, seven were at the sanitorium nd one at home. Dr. Hill commented avorably on the prompt action taken in the care of this disease.

FAR FROM DEAD

An alarmist rumor was given publicity in the city yesterday to the effect that Pte. Eric Ross Goulding had either been killed or taken prisoner about the third week of November. This is proved utterly false by the receipt of a card from Pte. Goulding by friends at Komoka last week, written from an English hospital, where he lies after losing one eye. In this card he says he is recovering and announces he will return to Canada as soon as he is able.

RETURNED SOLDIERS

Wives and Children of Fallen Heroes

At a regular meeting of the Returned Soldiers' Association, held last night in the clubrooms on Richmond street, it was decided to provide an entertainnent and Christmas tree for the wives and children of returned soldiers of the nd children of returned soldiers of the lity. The wives and children of local then who have fallen at the front are liso to be invited to attend.

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olicit aid for the entertainment ergt. Joseph, Sergt. Struad and Pte ascombe. A prominent local citizen has already promised to donate \$25 towards the Christmas fund, and it is hoped that a present will be received by the children of every returned man in the city. In addition to this re-freshments will be served and a good musical program provided

The local chapters of the Daughters

"THE PRACTICAL GIFT" A Huron & Erie Passbook More fortunes have sprung from first dollars deposited in Savings Accounts than from any other source. Give your child a start tomorrow by obtaining for him a Huron & Erie Christmas gift

Encourage him to add regularly to the

account and let his first goal be, say-\$100.

Each gift passbook will be inclosed in a suitable envelope ready for presentation.

Interest will be credited each half-year at the rate of 31/2 % per annum.

That Christmas Gift

is sure to be doubly appreciated if it comes from Young's,

because :--This Store is best known for its high-grade liver of quality, and for the kind of silver plate that sterling, in appearance and wear resistance,

A FEW SUGGESTIONS

TEA SETS .- A four-piece, Colonial design, abony heat-proof handles, hard four-piece set, wrought in severe design. Many other splendid values from \$14.00 \$50.00. CABINETS OF SILVER .- 1835, R. W. Wallace & Sons' make, from the

amall 26-piece chest at \$16.00, to the largest size, three-deck cabinet, at \$120.00. BONS-BONS.—We carry a very large assor Plate, pierced silver, from \$1.50 to \$5.00. PEARL-HANDLED KNIVES AND FORKS IN CABINETS.—These goods

are now very scarce, and will be increasingly hard to obtain. We have some beautiful examples of this ware in sets of half-dozen knives and forks, at \$12.00 to \$40.00. GRANDFATHER CLOCKS .- Nothing is quite so friendly and homelike. Here is a gift possessing a rare sentiment that attaches to no other article in the household. We have them from \$60 to \$400, including one only specially-priced, genuine, mahogany Waltham Clock at \$125.00, and one only wonderfully-cased Clock, in new Colonial style, solid mahogany Clocks is most varied and includes scores of handsome Mantel Clocks Bedroom Clocks, Ivory Clocks, Gold Clocks, Mahogany Clocks, Brass

Clocks and Chime Clocks. It will be a pleasure for us to show you what we have, and equally a pleasure for you to see our showing.

"JEWELRY-IF BOUGHT AT YOUNG'S-IS RIGHT"

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coldiers' Association will be held next Saturday evening to make the final arrangements. All returned soldiers of the city are urged to attend. The name and age of every child is requested to be sent to the secretary, 380 Richmond street, not later than Saturday morning next in order that the committee may know how many Christmas stock-Other important matters of a private

OPEN EVENINGS TILL CHRISTMAS. Keene Bros., King St.

Taylor's 6 Cut-Rate Drug Stores sell at the lowest cut prices every day in the year,